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Date of Sailing, 2-30 P.M.	Steamer.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons.
17th Sept.	SALSETTE	6000	MOREA	10890
24th „	PERSIA	7931		
1st Oct.	SALSETTE	6000	MOOLTAN	9631
9th „	ARABIA	7903		
15th „	SALSETTE	6000	CHINA	7912
22nd „	EGYPT	7912		
29th „	MANTUA	10885		
5th Nov.	HIMALAYA	6898		
12th „	SALSETTE	6000	MALWA	10883
19th „	MARMORA	10909		
26th „	SALSETTE	6000	MACEDONIA	10912

The above Steamers convey Passengers to Marseilles, Plymouth and London.

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HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1911.

Date of Sailing.	Steamer.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons.
18th Feb.	SALSETTE	6000	MANTUA	10885
25th „	ARABIA	7903		
4th March	MALWA	10883		
11th „	EGYPT	7912		
18th „	SALSETTE	6000	MACEDONIA	10912
22nd „	* ARCADIA	7000		
25th „	PERSIA	7931		
1st April	MARMORA	10909		
8th „	†LEONIA	7358		
15th „	SALSETTE	6000	MOLDAVIA	9500
22nd „	MANTUA	10885		
29th „	SALSETTE	6000	MONGOLIA	9505
6th May	ARABIA	7903		
13th „	SALSETTE	6000	MOREA	10890
20th „	EGYPT	7912		

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Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To sail on
Ischia	6,000	G. Belsito	16th Sept. 1910
Capri	6,000	D. Moresco	16th Oct. „
Ischia	5,000	G. Belsito	16th Nov. „

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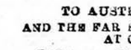

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Steamer.	Tons.	Sailing.	Date.	Time.	Route via.
Linga	2171	Mon.	12th Sept.	11 a.m.	† P D & C M
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TO MARSEILLES.

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X	X	X	27th Oct.
CALEDONIEN	4,130	Latour	24th Nov.
ARMAND BEHIC	6,385	X	22nd Dec. 1911.
AUSTRALIEN	6,365	X	19th Jan. „
SALAZIE	4,147	Biguier	16th Feb. „
SYDNEY	4,118	Costa	16th Mar. „
DUMBEA	5,583	Rebufat	13th Apl. „
POLYNESIEN	6,363	X	11th May „
AUSTRALIEN	6,365	X	8th June „

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Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	25th „ „
Castalia	6388	J. Hamilton	13th Nov. „
Elysia	6368	A. Haig	26th „ „
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	15th Dec. „
Olympia	5124	A. Tait	29th „ „
Circassia	6716	C F Osborne R N R	10th Jan. 1911
Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	25th „ „
Castalia	6388	J. Hamilton	11th Feb „

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1911.

Elysia	6368	A. Haig	25th Feb. 1911
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	16th Mar. „
Olympia	5124	A. Tait	26th „ „
Circassia	5716	C F Osborne R N R	15th Apl. „
Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	24th „ „
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Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	10th June „

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Bombay to Suez and back	627
Bombay to Portsaid and back	677
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No surveys will be held on bag cargo packed in single gunnies only, or on goods removed from the Landing Shed.

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P. & O. S. N. Co.

BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
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(2) Consignees are requested to present their Bills of Lading for Delivery orders and to take delivery of their Cargo immediately on discharge.

(3) The Company's Surveyor will attend every morning, between 8 and 9 a. m., to survey damaged bags. No Survey will be held after seven days of the landing of the last bag.

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NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

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By Order of the Board,
J. BLACK,
Ag. Manager.

Bombay, 10th September, 1910.

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By Order,
KRISHNARAO B. JAYAKAR,
Secretary.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.
TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V. by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Probate of the last Will and Testament of TEJABAI, widow of KALIANJI VALJI, late of Bombay, Bhatia Hindu Inhabitant, deceased.

1. VALLABHDAS JAMNADAS, of Bombay Bhatia Hindu Inhabitant, Merchant, residing at Kalbadevi Road, without the Fort and
2. PADAMSEY GOVINDJI, also of Bombay, Bhatia Hindu Inhabitant, Merchant, residing at Kolbhat Lane, without the Fort, the Surviving Executors named in the said Will..... Petitioners.

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Probate.

Witness, Sir BASIL SCOTT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this fifth day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and ten and in the first year of our Reign.

L. N. BANAJI,
Registrar.
The Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

P. B. MALABARI,
The 8th day of September, 1910.
Messrs. MANSUKHLAL JAMSETJI & HIRALAL,
Petitioners' Attorneys.

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Poona, 8th September, 1910.

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DAILY MARKET REPORT.

LONDON, September 9.

Consols 2 1-2 per cent. ... ... 80 11-16+1-16
Bombs 3 per cent ... ... 97 1-4 unchgd
2 1-2 per cent. (Sterling Loan)... 94 unchgd
2 1-2 per cent Government Securities ... ... 62 3-3 unchgd
Bar Silver in London. ... ... 24 1-2+1-3
Do 2 months hence ... ... 24 5-8+1-3
Closing Tone of Silver.—Quiet but steady.
Bar Silver in New York ... ... 53 1-8+1-4
Exchange on London at Paris ... 25-34 unchgd
Do do Berlin ... 20-44 1-2 unchgd
Do do New York ... 4-86 1-8 unchgd
Discount Bank of England Rate... 2 p.c. since 9-6-10
Do. Short London Bills 3 m/st.. 3 unchgd
Do. Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st... 3 1-2 unchgd
Do Fine Trade Bills 3 months. 3 1-2 unchgd
Do. Fine Trade Bills 6 months.. 4 unchgd
Interest day to day loans ... 1 1-2 unchgd
Do. 7 day market loans ... 1 1-2 unchgd
Bar Gold (per oz.) ... ... 77-9 unchgd
Amount withdrawn from the Bank of England ... ... £ 100,000 for Egypt.
Exchange on India 30 d-st. (Bank buying rate) ... ...1-3 29-32 unchgd

SPECIE SHIPMENTS.

Silver to Bombay ... ... £ 1,10,000
Bar Gold to Bombay ... ... £ 1,40,000
Gold to Colombo ... £ 10,000

MANCHESTER, September 9.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL—

	Bales.
Tone of Liverpool Cotton Spot—Quieter.	
Do. of Liverpool Cotton Futures ...	Steady.
Do. of Liverpool Cotton East Indian...	Quiet.
Tone of Manchester Market ...	Steady.
Total Dayes Sales at Liverpool ...	6,000
Do. Day's Sales on Spot and for Exp	500
Do. Day's Sales of East Indian ...	200
Do. Day's Imports ...	.....
Mid Americans ...	8-03+17
Egyptian F.G.F. ...	12 11-16 unchgd

	S.-O.	O.-N.	N.-D.	D.-J.	J.-F.
Cotton Delivery	7-12	6-52	6-58	6-53	6-52
Mid Uplands	+11	+ 5	+ 4	+ 4	+ 3
G.O.C.					

	F.-M.	M.-A.	A.-M.	M.-J.
Liverpool	6-52	6-52	6-52	6-52
	+ 3	+ 3	+ 2	+ 2

NEW YORK, September 9.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

COTTON :—

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports ...	20,000
Do. Last year	20,000
Do. Exports to Great Britain ...	.....
Do. Exports to Continent	.....
Spot Cotton	14-00 unchgd
Futures at New York Oct. 13-09+17	Advanced on spinners reported to be bidding more freely and on commission house buying.
Do do Dec. 12-06+12	

NEW ORLEANS—

Spot Cotton at New Orleans ...	13 5-16 unchgd
Futures at New Orleans Oct. ...	12-97+17
Do. at New Orleans Dec. ...	12-97+16
Closing Tone of futures ...	Steady.
Cotton Stock in London	6,010

LONDON, September 9.

	Bales.
Week's Receipts at all U. S. Ports ...	96,000
Do Exports to Great Britain ...	31,000
Do Exports to Continent ...	64,000
Do Exports to Japan	1,000
Stock of Cotton at U. S. Ports ...	157,000
Do. of Cotton at Interior Ports ...	55,000

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

F. G. F. Tinnevelly O.I.F. Liverpool ... 6 5-16 Sept.-Oct.—Sellers.
Fair Red Coconada C. I. F. London ... 6 8-32
Cocconada Ginned C. I. F. London ... 6 16-32
G. M. Western C. I. F. London ... 6 1-32

WHEAT.

White Karachi ... 37 3-4 Sept.-Oct.—London —Sellers.
Tone of wheat—
AUSTRALIAN.
South Australian ...39 1-2 Sept.-Oct.—Sellers.

SEEDS.

Rapeseed—Yellow Gujerat per 416 lbs 85 per cent ex-ship ... 46 1-2
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Havre.
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.
Rapeseed—Yellow Cawnpore 416 lbs 85 per cent. ex-ship ... 45
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Weather Buyers, or Sellers etc.—Sellers.
Rapeseed—Brown Cawnpore 39 lbs ex-ship... ... 41 1-4
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers etc.—Buyers.
Linseed—Bombay per 416 lbs ex-ship ... 75
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers etc.—Sellers.
Tone of Linseed—Firmer.
Linseed Argentine—La Plata ... 69 1-4
Do Month—Oct.-Nov.
Do Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers, etc.—Done.

COFFEE.

In New York Fair Rio (No. 7 quality). 10 1-2

SUGAR.

German granulated sugar C. and F. India double bags, ... 14 1-2
Months of Shipment, Nov.-Dec.—Sellers.
Tone of Sugar—Quiet.

RUBBER.

Para Rubber ... 7-8 Sellers.

METAL.

Copper Braziers ... ... £ 67 1-4
Yellow Metal ... ... £ 5 15-16
Bar Iron Belgian Ordinary sizes F. O. B. Antwerp ... £ 4 17 6
Iron Corrugated Sheets 24 guage G. O. B. 4 per cent. F. O. B. Liverpool ... ... £ 11 7 6
Basic Steel Bars F. O. B. Antwerp net... £ 5 12 6

ARRIVAL.

"Kalibra," BOMBAY, September 10.

EXCHANGE.

The market opened quiet at 1s. 4d. for T. T., 1s 4 7-32d Demand and 1s. 4 1-32d. for 3 months' sight Credits.

We quote :—

Bank's selling—	
T. T. Ready...	1s. 4d.
D. D. Mail	1s. 4 1-32d.
T. T. Forward ...	1s. 4 1-16d. Nov.
Bank's Buying—	
Private D. D. Ready ...	1s. 4 1-16d.
Credits 3 m/s " ...	1s. 4d. Mail.
" " Forward ...	1s. 4 7-32d. Next Mail.
" 6 m/s Ready ...	1s. 4 3-3d., 1s. 4 13-32d.
France 3 m/s " ...	17- 1-4
Marks 3 m/s " ...	138 1-2
60 d/s. Hongkong ...	132 1-2
" Shanghai ...	179
" Japan ...	150

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

Market is steady. The closing rates are:—
95 p. c. Buyers, 30th Sept. Settlement.
95 5-16 p. c., Buyers, Ready.

SEEDS AND WHEAT.

Linseed.—Firm. Demand was good but stock being limited, price advanced by two to three annas.
Rapeseed.—Firm. Demand moderate. No change to report.
Wheat.—Quiet. Demand very little. There are forward sellers, so rate is on the decline.
Castorseed.—Firm. Prices are maintained.
Cottonseed.—Firm. Demand good.
Mowraseed.—Firm. Price advanced by 2 annas.

Description.	Rate.
Linseed, Bold	...Rs. 13 0 0
Linseed, Small	... ,, 12 13 0
Linseed, Brown	... ,, 13 6 0
RAPESEED—	
Brown Delhi	... ,, 6 11 0
Brown Cawnpore	... ,, 6 10 0
Yellow do.	... ,, 7 10 0
Do. Gujarat	... ,, 7 12 0
Brown Katni	... ,, 7 8 0
Poppyseed	... ,, 10 5 0
Castorseed	... ,, 40 to 41
WHEAT—	
Pissi	... ,, 33 to 35
Hard Red	... ,, 32 to 36
Yellow Hingaghat	... ,, 52 to 54
Bai Khandesh	... ,, 70 to 80
Mowraseed	... ,, 7 9 0
Groundnuts	... ,, 44 0 0
Cottonseed	... ,, 25 to 27
Maize	... ,, 18 to 19
Wheat Yellow	... ,, 48 to 42
Khandwa	... ,, 47 to 51
Bajaro	... ,, 37 to 38
Jowar	... ,, 21 to 24
Gram	... ,, 22 to 23
Mimbara	... ,, 53 to 55
Brown Jubbulpore	... ,, 45 to 46
Brown Mogri	... ,, 43 to 50
Kabra	... ,, 44 to 48
Black Katni	... ,, 43 to 45
Myrabollams	... ,, 18 to 20

The following are the receipts of Wheat and Seeds into Bombay during the 48 hours ended at 6 p. m. on Saturday, 10th September :—

Wheat	3,804 cwts
Linseed	1,985 ,,
Rapeseed	4,634 ,,
Gingellyseed	138 ,,
Poppyseed	1,284 ,,
Groundnuts...	21 ,,
Castorseed	2,493 ,,
Rice...	4,346 ,,
Myrabollams	495 ,,
Cottonseed	3,268 ,,
Mowraseed	505 ,,
Gram	3,508 ,,
Joowar	1,152 ,,
Maize	18 ,,

SPINNING.

Petits opened at 2,750 when declined to Rs. 2,742½, but closed at Rs. 2,750.

BANKS.

Bombay	1,530
India	66
Indian Specie...	51
Eastern Bank	79

MILLS.

David	402 1-2
Kohinoor	687 1-2 X.D.
Manockji Petit	2,745

PRESSES.

New Berar	580

MISSELLANEOUS.

Bombay E. S. & T. C. Ordinary ...	102
Bombay E. S. & T. C. Preference...	167
Bombay Steam Navigation Pref.	292 1-2
Shivrajpur Mining Syndicate ...	16

RAILWAYS.

Tapti Valley	475

COTTON.

Liverpool was 2 to 11 points up, New York was unchanged and futures were 17 and 12 up. Price for ready lots advanced by Re. 1 and demand from exporters and mills was fairly good. Demand for New Crop being good and price advanced by Re. 1. New Broach in the morning was quoted Rs. 293 1-2 but demand being good the rate advanced to Rs. 294 1-2.

Bengal Hand Gin. Fine ...	262
,, F Good ...	253
Bengal Machine Gin. Fine ...	277
,, F Good ...	265
Sind Punjab Fine ...	277
,, F Good ...	265
Khandesh Fine ...	275
,, F Good ...	265
Dhamangaon Poolgaon Fine ...	287
,, F Good ...	277
Akola Knangaum Fine ...	283
,, F Good ...	273
Amraoti Fine ...	282
,, F Good ...	272
Veotmal Fine ...	292
,, F Good ...	272
Nagpore ...	297
,, od ...	287
Wardha Hinganghat Fine ...	300
,, F Good ...	290
Methia Fine ...	275
,, F Good ...	265
Broach Gin Fine ...	312
,, F Good ...	302
Sawginned Good ...	308
Westerns H. G. ...	297
Do M G ...	301
Broach Good FUTURES ...	294-8
Bengal F G ...	229-8

The following are the receipts of Cotton into Bombay during the 48 hours ended at 6 p.m. on Saturday, 10th September :— Bales.

Khandeish	..... ,,
Central India...	..... ,,
Barsi and Nagur	..... ,,
Berar	..... ,,
Central Provinces	..... ,,
Comras...	..... ,,
Dholera	..... ,,
Broach...	..... ,,
Coompta and Dharwar ...	689 ,,
Westerns	..... ,,
Bengals (N W. P.)... ...	..... ,,
Bengal Rajputana	..... ,,
Sind	..... ,,
Persian	..... ,,
Other Sorts	..... ,,
American	..... ,,
Total ...	689 Bales.

LIVERPOOL, September 10.

Opening Tone and Prices.

Opening Tone	Steady.
Estimated Sales	4,000
Total Imports	Nil

Future Delivery Prices :—

Sept.-Oct.	7-15+3
Oct.-Nov.	6-95+2
Nov.-Dec.	6-89+2
Dec.-Jan.	6-85+2
Jan.-Feb.	6-84+2
Feb.-Mar.	6-84+2
Mar.-Apl.	6-84+2
Apl.-May	6-84+2
May-June	6-84+2

METALS.

Business in copper for January is done at £67 and in yellow metal English at £65-15. Market is firm and if demand originates prices are expected to advance.

We quote :—

	lbs.	
Copper Braziers 4x4	21	
	28	
	35	
	42	
	56	Rs.53 8
	63	
	70	
	77	
	84	
	21	
Yellow Metal Sheets	28	,, 44 14 a
	35	,, 45 0 b
	42	
	49	,, 44 10 c
	56	
Tin Ingots	...	,, 43 8
Spelter S M ...	...	to 44 0
M M ...	...	
J ...	...	,, 13 8
G ...	...	
Georgahutte	...	,, 22 0
Copper Ingots K S ...	...	,, 47 12
Copper Sheetings... lbs. 8, 10, 12, 14		,, 50 0
Yellow Metal Sheetings, lbs. 14, 16 10-12		,, 48 0
10-12 14-16		48 0

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IMPORTS OF TREASURE.

GOLD.

No. of Packages.	Bullion	Sovs. and half Sovs.	Coin. Other Coin.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 Box ...	76,800	...	...

SILVER.

No. of Packages.	Bullions	Govt. of India Rs.	Other coin.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
4 Bundles...	...	9,500	...
1 Bundle ...	...	1,500	...

Importers.	Vessel.	From
Indian Specie Bank Ltd ...	Persia	London
M Mackenzie & Co ...	Waroonga	Muscat
Do. ...	do.	Aden

EXPORTS OF BAR SILVER FROM BOMBAY by rail on 10th Sept. 1910.

By	Bars.	Ounces.
G. I. P. Railway ...	10	11,540
B. B. & C. I. Railway ...	33	39,188

LONDON, September 10.

2 1-2 per cent. Consols	80 1-2—3-16
3 per cent. Rentes	97 3-4 unchgd
3 1-2 per cent. Indian Stock (Sterling Loan)	94 unchgd
3 1-2 per cent. Government Securities	63 2-8 unchgd
Bar Silver in London	24 7-16—1-16
Do. 2 months hence...	24 9-16—1-16
Closing Tone of Silver—Quiet but steady.	
Silver in New York	53—1-8
Exchange on London at Paris	For—25-23 1-2—1-2
Do. Berlin ...	20-45 1-2+1
Do. New York ...	4-86—1-8
Discount Bank Bills 3 months' sight...	2 unchgd
Do. Indian Bank Bills 6 months' sight.	3 1-2 unchgd
Do. Fine Trade Bills 3 months...	3 1-2 unchgd
Do. Fine Trade Bills 6 months...	4 unchgd
Interest day-to-day loans	7-8—1-4
Do. of day market loans ...	1 3-8—1-8
Bar Gold (per oz.)	77-9 unchgd
Amount Withdrawn from ditto	2,75,000 for Egypt.
Exchange on India 30 days' sight (Bank buying rate)	1-3 29-32

MANCHESTER, September 10.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL—

Spots...	Dull.
Futures	Steady.
East Indian	Quiet.
Manchester	Quiet.
Total Sales	5,000
Sold on Speculation and for Export	100
Sales of East India	.....
Imports	.....
Mid-Americans	8-22+32
Egyptian F.G.F. Brown	12 1-16—5-8

	S.-O.	O.-N.	N.-D.
Cotton Delivery	7-18	6-97	6-91
	— 6	— 5	— 5
Mid. Uplands	D.-J.	J.-F.	F.-M.
	6-88	6-87	6-87
G. O. C.	— 5	— 5	— 5
	M.-A.	A.-M.	
Liverpool	6-88	6-88	6-88
	— 6	— 6	— 6

NEW YORK, September 10.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

COTTON :—

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports ...	bales. 21,000
Do Last year	30,000
Do. Exports to Great Britain ...	.....
Do. Exports to Continent	2,000
Spot Cotton at New York ...	14-00 unchgd.
Futures at New York ..... Oct. 12-07— 2	Advanced on favorable cables and declined owing to commission house liquidation.
Do at New York ..... Dec. 13-04— 2	

NEW ORLEANS.—

Spot Cotton	13 2-8+1-16
Futures—Month of Oct. ...	13-92— 5
Do. do. Dec. ...	12-82— 5
Closing tone of Futures—Steady.	

Cotton Stock in London—

Do. Total Visible Supply	10,30,000
Do. Total Visible Supply East Indian	1,41,000
Do. Quantity in Sight	1,10,000

LONDON, September 10.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

	Bales.
Total Sales	52,000
Do. Speculation	1,000
Do. Export	1,000
Do. Forwarded Consumer	62,000
Do. Actual Export	1,000
Do. Import of the Week	30,000
Do. Stock	2,99,000
Surat's Week's Sales	700
Do. Indian Speculation	.....
Do. Indian Export	.....
Do. Indian Forwarded Consumers ...	1,900
Do. Indian Actual Export... ...	.....
Do. Indian Import of the Week ...	.....
Do. Indian Stock.	24,000
American Afloat	40,000
Indian Afloat	7,000

WHEAT.

White Karachi.—37 3-4 Sept.-Oct.—London—Sellers.
AUSTRALIAN.
South Australian—39 Sept.-Oct.—Sellers.

SEEDS.

Rapeseed—Yellow Gujrat per 416 lbs 85 per cent ex-ship. ... 47
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers etc.—Sellers.
Rapeseed—Yellow Cawnpore, per 416 lbs 85 per cent ex-ship ... 45 3-4
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Weather Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.
Rapeseed—Brown Cawnpore 42
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers, etc.—Value.
Tone of Rapeseed.—Firmer.
Linseed—Bombay, per 416 lbs. ex-ship ... 76
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.
Tone of Linseed.—Strong.
Linseed Argentine—La Plata 70 1-4
Do. Months—Sept.-Oct.
Do. Name of Port—Antwerp.
Do. Weather Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Value.

COFFEE.

In New York Fair Rio No. 7 quality. 10 1-2

RUBBER.

Para Rubber ... ... 7-5—Value—Flat.

SKIN SALE.

Goat skin sale closed to-day. Very strong and active and sold 11,01,000.

Goat skins Madras prime 1d. higher.
Goat skins Madras fair 1-2 to 1d. higher.
Goat skins Madras ordinary 1-2d. higher.
Goat skins Bombay good 1-2 to 1d. higher.
Goat skins Bombay fair 1d. higher.
Goat skins Bombay ordinary 1d. higher.

The following statement comprises the shipments of goods for the month of August 1910 :—

	To Calcutta.	To Rangoon.
Cotton Piece Goods—	Yards	Yards.
Bleached and White	24300000	2000000
Unbleached and Grey ...	65700000	1400000
Dyed and Colored	6800000	1300000
Printed	9500000	2600000
Twist and Yarns—		lbs.
Dyed and Bleached	210000	180000
Unbleached and Grey ...	210000	.....

Cotton Piece Goods—	To Madras. Yards	To Bombay. Yards	To Karachi. Yards.
Bleached and White	2000000	7300000	10600000
Unbleached and Grey	3,00000	15900000	1600000
Dyed and Colored...	700000	9800000	4700000
Printed	3000000	17800000	7800000
Twist and Yarns—			lbs.
Dyed and Bleached	130000	290000	40000
Unbleached and Grey	210000	600000	10000

Total shipment of Salt .....13000 Tons.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE Charge for Announcement of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS and MEMORIAM NOTICES, which must be authenticated by the name and address of the sender is Rs. 2 for six lines or less, and 8 as. for every additional line. CASH strictly in ADVANCE.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

CONDON—August 31, at Bhim Tal, U P, the wife of Major de Vere Condon, I M S, Deoli, of a son.
PHILLIPS—September 3, at Ootacamund, the wife of H F Travers Phillips, Madras Police, of a son.
BAPHAEL—September 6, in Calcutta, the wife of Geo H Baphael, Reader, Bengal Secretariat Press, of a son.
RENNY—August 13, at Murree, to Captain and Mrs G S Renny, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

DAWSON—ROSE—September 5, at Calcutta, Timothy Robert Gow Dawson, to Alice Beatrice Rose.
OZZARD—VASSAR-SMITH—August 15, at St John's in the Wilderness, Naini Tal, by the Rev L Kiugh, Lieut-Col F R Ozzard, I M S, 7th D C O Rajputs, to Margaret Katharine, second daughter of Richard Vassar Vassar-Smith, of Charlton Park, Charlton Kings, Gloucestershire.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Sun rises, 6h. 26m ; Sun sets 6h. 45m. High water, 4-36m. 4-0a.; Low water, 10-27m. 10-46a.
Parsi New Year, Bank Holiday.
Cricket : Bombay Gymkhana "A" team vs. Kathiawar, home ground ; "B" team vs. Bombay Gas Company, away.
Maxim : "Contracts should never be undertaken unless they can be strictly performed."

THE "AKBBAR-I-SOUDAGER."—The "Akhbar" will distribute to its readers a photo picture, "Sweet Fragrance," to-morrow, the Parsi New Year's day. It is an elegant reproduction of an excellent photograph.

COCAINE PROSECUTION.—Harjivan Masurchand, a Hindu, was arrested by a policeman on suspicion at 11 o'clock on Friday night in Sandhurst Road, and on his person being searched four packets, containing over seven grains of cocaine, were found. He was placed before Mr. Campbell, the Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate, and was fined Rs. 15 with the option of ten days' rigorous imprisonment.

THEFT ON A PROW.—Luxman Gopal, a boatman, was sleeping in his prow on Friday last, with his umbrella by his side when a Mahomedan, named Usman Siddick, took the umbrella and tried to make away with it. A person from a distance saw this and shouted out "thief, thief," and the accused was arrested. He was placed before the Chief Presidency Magistrate on a charge of theft. There were also two previous convictions against him and the Magistrate sentenced him to three months' rigorous imprisonment.

PICK-POCKET AT RAILWAY STATION.—Before Mr. H. Campbell, Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Police Court, Inspector Mirza, of the B. B. and C. I. Railway Police charged Malabir a Hindu, with the theft of a purse, containing Rs. 1-5-6 from the pocket of Kalu Sukla. The complaint was that Kalu having purchased a ticket at the Marine Lines Station was going over the bridge to go to the down plasform, when somebody called out to him to be watchful. On turning back he saw the accused go past him. On examining his pocket he discovered that the purse was missing. The accused was arrested with the purse in his possession. The case was adjourned to enable the police to make inquiries as to the antecedents of the accused.

BANDMANN OPERA COMPANY.

"The Arcadians."

The Bandmann Opera Company finished their present season in Bombay on Saturday night, when they staged that popular Opera "The Arcadians," with which they opened one of the most successful visits to Bombay, that they have as yet experienced. There was another crowded house which was delighted with the excellent manner in which the Company performed, and lovers of Musical Comedies are hoping for a speedy return to Bombay of this Company.

SUICIDE OF A GREEK.

Mr. G. F. Chalk, the Coroner of Bombay, held an inquest on Saturday morning touching the death of Mr. A. A. Economo, (38), a Greek assistant in the firm of Messrs. Ralli Brothers.

From the evidence it appears that the deceased was depressed and passed sleepless nights for some time. He was generally of a cheerful disposition, but since the receipt of some bad news from home a sudden change was noticed in him. He complained of restlessness and insomnia and on Friday night about 8 o'clock he shot himself with a double barrel gun in his chambers in Beryl House, Wodehouse Road. The deceased's boy, being in the verandah at the time, was the first to realise what had happened. Mr. Sharp, who was living on the next floor in the same building, hastened to the spot. The doors were closed and they were forced open. Before any medical assistance could be procured he expired, the shot from the gun having penetrated the chest. The gun was found lying near the body of the deceased and the jury returned a verdict that death was due to the deceased having shot himself in the chest with a gun while he was temporarily insane.

ORPHANAGE FOR SALSETTE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Thanks to the representations to Rome and elsewhere, the Diocese of Damaun can now boast of an orphanage at Mount Poinsur in Salsette for poor and destitute male children. This institution which harbours some boys from parts of Salsette and I suppose from Bassein also, will flourish better when it receives help from the Royal Patron. What are needed are a Widows' Home and and an orphanage for girls, and these wants, I am sure, have only to be pressed on the attention of the authorities to be supplied. The Royal Patron will, no doubt, help such laudable objects. I may remark that revenues of certain rich churches might well be set apart for these really worthy objects by the Administrator or the Bishop of the Diocese. There have been large bequests made for certain churches for masses, etc. These bequests or legacies can be utilized for the purposes mentioned after the requisite masses have been said, the surpluses remaining over after the fulfilment of the intentions of the bequests being set apart as suggested. In other words let so many masses be said at the rates prevailing, as directed in the bequests or trusts, and let what remains over be utilised on corporal or spiritual works of mercy. What these works should be, it is for the Bishop or the Administrator to decide, only that the surplus realizations, instead of going to priests, should be devoted to deserving objects. I understand that money devoted to meritorious works or spent for the relief of distress is helpful to the souls in Purgatory, God being alone the judge of man's intention and good-will. If masses are an indirect way of helping the priests, where help is needed, and money spent on good works is as helpful to the souls in Purgatory as money given to priests to say masses. An idea, however, prevails in many minds that money given to priests for masses alone goes to the relief of the suffering souls in Purgatory, but this erroneous belief could well be dispelled by the authorities when they make the suggested arrangements for the good of the

PUBLIC.

Anderi, Sept. 9.

MADRAS HARBOUR WORK.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, SEPT. 10.

The last block below the low water level of the solid portion of the breakwater that closes the old entrance of the Madras Harbour was laid yesterday evening by the Hon'ble Mr. Robertson.

DAILY EXPORTS—SEPT. 10.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

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FOR MARSEILLES.

Massilia s—110 cotton fly, K Visram and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Persia s—100 cwts buffalo horns, E Mahomed.

FOR BARCELONA.

Massilia s—50 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co ; 250 bales cotton, The Bombay and Co Ld.

FOR MANCHESTER.

Massilia s—2 bales twist, D Sassoon and Co.

FOR SYRA.

Massilia s—10 bales twist, Greaves Cotton and Co,

FOR BARROW-IN-FURNESS.

Milwaukee s—3,000 tons manganese ore, R A Willis

FOR ANTWERP.

Chanda s—1,060 bales cotton, Volkart Bros ; 110 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co ; 110 bales cotton, S Framji and Co ; 55 bales cotton, N Rajaram and Co : 2,000 tons manganese ore, Killick Nixon and Co ; 4,516 cwts crushed bones, R Kaderbhoy ; 2,000 cwts rapeseed, and 2,000 cwts castorseed, B S Lloyd and Co ; 110 bales cotton, W Wolf and Sons ; 600 cwts castorseed, Sizing Material and Co.

Arabistan s—1,251 bales cotton, Ralli Bros ; 430 bales cotton, Volkart Bros; 2,000 cwts rapeseed, B S Leyd and Co ; 110 bales cotton, N Rajaram and Co.

FOR HAMBURG.

Dumbarmoor s—173 bales cotton, Ralli Bros ; 150. bales cotton, W Wolf and Sons.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Harport s—1,500 tons manganese ore, Killick Nixon and Co.

FOR GENOA.

D Balduino s—206 bales cotton, Volkart Bros ; 510 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.

FOR NAPLES.

D Balduino s—100 bales cotton, The Bombay and Co Ld ; 50 bales cotton, J A Begbie and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Assaye s—50 bales twist, D Sassoon and Co ; 250 bales twist, M M Essabhoy ; 539 cwts myrabollams, C Macdonald and Co.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SMALL CAUSE COURT.

An Important Commercial Case.

OWNERS OF S.S. "ROYAL SCEPTRE" vs. TURNER MORRISON & CO.

JUDGEMENT was given on the 8th instant by Mr. Kemp, Chief Judge of the Small Cause Court, in the above case. The s.s. "Royal Sceptre" arrived with a cargo of coal consigned to Messrs. Turner Morrison & Co. The Charter Party provided that the consignee was to appoint the Stevedore, but that he was to be paid by the owners at current market rates. The owners contended that this rate should have been 9as. per ton, whereas Messrs. Turner Morrison & Co., who had appointed Messrs. Ruttonjee Bomanjee & Co. as Stevedores, had paid them at the rate of 12as. a ton. The owners, therefore, sued for the return of 3as. per ton and of other items stated to be wrongly charged. They based their contention that 6as. per ton was the true market rate on letters given to the Captain, and dated the day of the steamer's arrival by Mr. Sawle, Messrs. Cursetjee Muncherjee's Sons, Messrs. Hill Son & Taomas and Messrs. Sharpe & Co., in which they each stated that tney were willing to undertake the work at this rate. Messrs. Turner Morrison & Co. contended that their quotations were not bona fide and they were made in combination in order to do harm to Messrs. Ruttonjee Bomanjee & Co., who had not joined in the Stevedore Ring whion had been formed. Defendants further submitted that these letters, although sworn to by their respective writers, were not written on the day of the steamer's arrival as they purported to be, but were written at a later date when the steamer had partly discharged and when they knew that they could not be given the work, and that these letters were written merely to cause trouble to a Stevedore who was outside the Ring. The Chief Judge found for the Defendants on every point. Mr. Weldon, instructed by Messrs. Craigie, Blunt and Caroe, appeared for the plaintiffs, and Mr. Sunsook for the defendants.

The following is the full text of the judgment :

By a Charter Party, dated 12th January 1909, Messrs. Watts Watts and Co. chartered from the plaintiff-shipowner his steam ship, "Royal Sceptre," to carry a cargo of coal from Barry to Bombay. The Bill of Lading, drawn in accordance with the Charter Party, was endorsed by the charterers to the defendant-consignees in Bombay and it expressly incorporates all the terms and exceptions contained in the Charter Party. So far as is material for the purposes of the present suit, the only clause in the Charter Party which calls for attention is Clause 8. The material portions of it are as follows :—

"Cargo to be taken from alongside by consignees at port of discharge free of expense and risk to the steamer, at the average rate of 500 tons per day..... provided steamer can deliver it at this rate; if longer detained consignees to pay steamer demurrage..... consignees to effect the discharge of the cargo steamer paying current rate per ton of 20 cwts. and providing only steam, steam winches, winchmen, gins and falls." In accordance with the terms of the said Charter Party the steamer proceeded to Barry and there loaded a cargo of 4903 tons of coal for Bombay. She arrived at Bombay on 8th March 1909 and began to discharge her cargo the next day. Messrs. R. Bomonjee and Co. were the Stevedores appointed by consignees and the discharge of the vessel was completed on 19th March 1909. In their Bill preferred against the plaintiff the consignees have charged 12as. at the current rate per ton for discharging the vessel and have also included items in respect of shoots, ropes, planks and books for tally-clerks as expenses of unloading. The plaintiff maintains that the current rate per ton was 9as. and that the ship is not liable to bear the other charges mentioned.

The first point for determination, therefore, is what is the current rate per ton for discharging a cargo of coal at the time when the ship arrived in port? The defendants entered into arrangements with Messrs. R. Bomanjee for the discharge of the steamer on the 2nd or 3rd March 1909 before her arrival. They say they did this as it was unsafe to defer making arrangements till the ship actually arrived in port.

The plaintiff alleges that the current rate per ton was 9 as. and he has produced certain offers to effect the discharge of the steamer at that rate from different Stevedores in Bombay which were alleged to have been received by the Captain of the ship when in port. The Stevedorage Bill was eventually signed by the Captain under protest. It appears the offers referred to came from 4 firms of Stevedores doing business in Bombay. They are all dated the 8th March 1909—the date of the ship's arrival in port—and they all with one accord offered to effect the dischar

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

The Committee of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce have decided that Friday, 9th September 1910 should be regarded as Full Weather Working Days for Vessels in the Prince's and Victoria Docks.

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G & R Hidalgo	2761	Croft Hull		12-9	J Whitay & Co Ld
F Chanda	3951	Tice	Antwerp	18-9	M M & Co
H Majidi	1857	Nowby	Jeddah	24-9	B & P S N & Co
K Dunbarmoor	2331	Barton	Hamburg	13-9	W & A G Co
L Islami	1604	Green	Repairing		B & P S N & Co
O Sibirica	2023	De Lorme	Jeddah	15-9	B & P S N & Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

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3 D Balduino	2634	Pautz	Genoa	15-9	Florio & R S N & Co
4 Ischia	2481	Belsito	Honkong	16 9	F Rubattino Line
5 Badiewell	2209	Smiles	N F		M M & Co
6 President	2086	Jacobson	Durban	14-9	A Strandes & Co
10 & 11 Assaye	4359	Jones	Shanghai	13-9	P & O S N & Co
12&13 Persia	4193	Haughton	London	24-9	P & O S N Co

H W P D

Satrunji	547	Esmail	N F	Bo S N Co Ld
Sabarmati	524	Shamsoodin	Karachi	10-9 Bo S N Co Ld
Ponani	552	Hossein	B'nager	10-9 Bo S N Co Ld
Couriand	760	Ebrahim	N F	Bo S N Co Ld

H W V D

Linga	951	Cutbush	Karachi	16-9	M M & Co

M W D D

Sangola	3349	Stewert	Calcutta	15-9	M M & Co

ARRIVALS.

Aug.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From
	Feliciana	Falck	Calcutta, Aug 29
	Avala	Canham	Cardiff, Aug 12
	Brasiliana	Snowdon	Calcutta, Aug 28
	Braunfels	Schmidt	Hamburg, Aug 6
	Wardha	Archeacon	M'mein, Aug 28
	Linga	Cutbush	Karachi, Sept 8
	R I M S Dufferin	A T March	Karachi, Sept 8

DEPARTURES.

Aug.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
	Oceana	Bruce	London
	Strathairey	MacMahan	Baltimore
	Caledonien	Lafont	Noumea
	Gerd	Anderson	Bangkok
	Bombay Maru	Tarranker	Kobe
	City of Naples	Main	Karachi
	Kirklee	Dermody	Karachi
	Kastera	Elton	Persian Gulf
	Queda	coope	Java
	Umballa	Rait	Rangoon
	Laipoora	Kilner	Calcutta

The following vessels began to load on Saturday :—
Steamer Persia, for London.
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BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

SQUADRON ORDERS.

BY MAJOR H. E. E. PROCTER, A.D.C., COMMANDING.

Bombay, 12th September.

SCHOOL OF ARMS.

The above Class will be held in the Town Hall tomorrow Tuesday, the 13th instant from 6 p.m.

D. W. WILSON, Lieut, Actg. Adjt. B. L. H.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LIEUT.-COLONEL A. K. LESLIE, V. D. COMMANDING B. V. A.

Bombay, 12th September.

141. Lecture.—A lecture will be delivered by Major C. F. Dobbs, D.A.A. and Q.M.G., in the R.G.A. Lecture Room Colaba, on Tuesday next, 5th September, at 12 noon.

Subject—Appreciation of a Situation.

All members are invited to attend.

135. Viceroy's Prize Competition—Intending competitors will please submit their names with entrance fee (Rs. 4) to the Adjutant by the 18th instant.

Conditions can be seen at Head-Quarters.

NOTICE.

Cricket.

The nets will be available for practice on the Oval on Wednesday next at 5 p.m.

The following match has been arranged :—

B V A vs. Bombay City Police on the Oval (B V A ground) on Sunday 12th September at 2-15 p.m.

E. P. CUDLIP, Lieut., R.A., Adjutant, B. V. A

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LT.-COL. R. W. L. DUNLOP, V.D.

Bombay, 12th September.

749. Parade.—To-day Monday the 12th instant.—"G" Coy. Recruits Parade at 6-30 p.m. at the Cathedral High School.

750. Lectures.—Tuesday the 13th instant.—Lecture at the R. G. A. Lecture Room, Colaba, at 12 noon by Major C. F. Dobbs, D. A. A. & Q. M. G.

Subject.—Appreciation of a situation.

All members are invited to attend.

II. Lecture for N. C. Officers at Head-Quarters at 6-30 p.m. by the Adjutant.

Subject.—Reconnaissance.

751. Parade—Wednesday the 14th instant—"G" Coy Parade on the Maidan at 7-30 a.m.

752. Signalling.—Thursday the 15th instant.—The Signalling Class will parade at 7 a.m. at Sir Richard Temple's Statue.

753. The Viceroy's Prize Competition.—Intending competitors will please submit their names with entrance fees (Rs. 4) to the Adjutant by the 15th September.

Conditions can be seen at Head-Quarters.

754. Rifle Club.—It is proposed to form a Regimental Rifle and Miniature Rifle Club at an early date.

Members wishing to join are requested to notify the Adjutant or the Cr-Sergts of their Companies before the 15th instant. The subscription will be a small one.

755. Medals—Applications for Volunteer Long Service Medal should reach Adjutant's Office by the 15th instant.

756. Meeting—There will be a meeting of the Regimental Committee at Head-Quarters on Wednesday next, the 14th instant at 6-30 p.m. to consider the formation of a Regimental Rifle Club.

757. Arms—All Rifles to be returned to Head-Quarters by this evening the 12th instant.

758. Rifle Meeting—The Bengal Punjab Rifle Meeting will be held at Meerut from the 9th to 19th November 1910. Programme can be seen at Head-Quarters.

Entries close on 15th October.

Any member wishing to enter will please forward his name to Head-Quarters.

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HONGKONG AND OPIUM.

HONGKONG is puzzling her mind over the question how much less addicted to the opium habit are her people now than before the issue of the anti-opium edicts and the interference of the British Colonial Office. And the conclusion she is inclined to arrive at is that there is very little improvement in the morals of the place and no very large diminution of the quantity of opium consumed. The Government of Hongkong has issued a Blue-book on the subject which shows that at the beginning of March last year, twenty-six opium divans were closed, and the proprietors were compensated with the sum of 11,613 dollars. All other licences, both in the Colony itself, and on the New Territory would lapse at the end of February last, and would not be renewed. The opium laws of the Colony were amended and consolidated in September of last year, so that the recommendations made by the Opium Commission, which sat in Shanghai, during February, 1909, might be fully applied. Under the new regime the monopolists have complete control over opium preparation and consumption. They can and do charge high prices for the drug, and so fewer can afford to purchase it. This is supposed to militate against an extensive use of opium amongst the poor. The selling price of prepared opium is now 4·50 dollars per Chinese ounce, which is equal to one and a third English ounces. Only fully qualified medical practitioners are allowed to furnish morphine, and inject it. Heavy penalties may follow an infringement of this law. The export of opium to any country which prohibits the importation of the drug is strictly forbidden, even to the monopolists. The export to any other country which allows its importation is only granted by special permit. These are some of the new laws and restriotions, which have come into operation in order to keep opium-smoking under control. And by some people it may be supposed that they do. But, soliloquises the "North China Herald," there must be a large amount of the drug still smoked in Hongkong. The monopolists, of whom there were four, on March 10, 1910, accepted the monopoly for three years. They still pay to the Government an annual rental of 1,183,200 dollars. This will mean, however, that the revenue of the Colony will lose 225,860 dollars in 1910 and 270,660 dollars in each of the two following years. This is supposed by some to be a very heavy loss, and supporters of the old regime are not backward in parading the virtue of the Colony, in that it has accepted this burden without more ado than has been manifested. But there was apparently very little necessity for the Colony to protest.

A great deficit of revenue was foreshadowed as the result of the imposition of of the new regulations. But when the year closed, it was found that there was a surplus of 280,128 dollars, notwithstanding the fact that the magnificent sum of 1,226,441, dollars was made as a military contribution for the defence of the Colony. The anticipated deficit was transformed into a surplus, by the large sum which the new liquor taxes brought into the Treasury which from September to the end of the year amounted to 10,184,420 dollars; and further by a compensation grant of £8,000, which was made by the Imperial Parliament for the loss that the Colony was exposed to by the summary closing of twenty-six opium divans. On the whole, therefore, Hongkong has not been greatly the loser by the change. But, observes our Hongkong contemporary, glancing back at the quantity of opium still consumed by the Chinese community, and the methods adopted for its suppression, some pressing questions confront us and wait for an answer. It appears that even yet the monopolists can afford to give the large sum of 183,200 dollars for the privilege of the sole control of the opium trade. "A large amount of the drug must be consumed somewhere. If we could assume for the moment that all the opium consumed was 'prepared opium,' and that it was sold at 4·50 dollars per ounce, it would mean that 262,933 oz. must be sold during any year in order that the monopolists might recoup themselves.

Of course, they hope to sell more than this; but how much more it is not possible for the outsider to say. At any rate, we are justified in believing that a large amount of prepared opium, and opium dross is yet consumed by smokers. That such is the case there can be no possibility of doubt. On numerous occasions correspondents have shown that large areas are surreptitiously covered with poppy and the so-called opium cures probably contain more pure opium than the compound originally consumed. Probably, too, there is more opium smoked to-day than when the dens were licensed and tolerated. There is much to be said in favour of opium as compared with the other drugs which are resorted to, and we are not sure that the suppression of opium is not leading to growth of other vices both in China and in India. Still it does not appear that so much progress in stamping out the habit has been made as we have from time to time been informed. The Hongkong paper seeks information on several important points, the first being how much less per head is consumed in the Colony now than under the old regime. Then it continues "in the olden days the poor frequented the unlovely den, whilst the rich lounged in the more luxurious divan. To-day these are both closed. Where do the habitual smokers gather? Do they smoke in back rooms of their shops or in their private dwellings? How much this is better than the old way of gathering in dens and divans is indeed an open question. The habit of smoking in private houses where there are children cannot be commended, and is indeed reprehensible. If our view of the matter is correct, it is evident that Hongkong is yet far distant from the goal of the anti-opiumists, namely, that opium-smoking shall be suppressed altogether, and that the opium pipe shall become as obsolete as the bow and arrow in warfare." The fact that the monopolists pay just 225,860 dollars less than before per annum, though still giving nearly a million and a quarter for their privilege, does not convince thinking men that there is up to the present any very large diminution in the amount of opium consumed. But to the questions our contemporary asks no replies are forthcoming and it fears that the only tongue which could supply the information will remain silent. We cannot observe without satisfaction that the accuracy of the Chinese official statements is doubted. Chinese statistics like Chinese methods are not above suspicion and we fear it will be a long time before they are.

FEMININE EDUCATION IN PERSIA. IT IS difficult to know in these days to what boundaries the feminist movement has not extended itself, but certainly we in India, where we have seen social reform for women making such unmistakeable, signs of progress, can scarcely feel surprise, when we hear that the same movement has begun to make timid and tentative efforts for recognition in the capital of Persia. Of course, in a country where new social and political ideas have still to make a successful fight against conservatism, this faint effort of the women cannot be expected to have secured any substantial result, but it is a notable fact that even in Persia the present year has seen a meeting of Persian women in Teheran to discuss educational problems. This is significant as showing that education for women is becoming recognised as a useful institution, and suggests that the education of women will play an important part in the future social evolution of the country. For a description of the beginnings of this movement we are indebted to the Teheran correspondent of the *Times*. Some 30 years ago, he tells us, the American Presbyterian Missionary Society began to take an active interest in the education of girls in Teheran. A school was opened for a dozen Armenian girls, and it was for many years the only school of its kind in the place. The annual enrolment did not reach 50, though the girls were given free tuition, books, food, and lodging. In 1876 the first Moslem was admitted, but it is only since 1900 that Mahomedan girls have been coming with any degree of freedom. Prejudices were strong, and it was only by paying surprise visits that Mahomedan parents were gradually able to overcome their attitude of suspicion. Last year, however, 235 girls were enrolled, of whom 120 were Mahomedans, and instead of everything being given free, the patrons of the school paid over £200 towards the costs of tuition and stationery. Girls are admitted at seven years of age, but it has been found difficult to keep them for the entire 12-year course. Nevertheless, five classes, each consisting of 13 girls, have graduated, and nearly 800 pupils have passed through the school since its foundation. It is not the purpose of the promoters of the school to denationalize or make converts of their pupils. Their aim is to give them an education on the lines of the ordinary high school and to inculcate European ideals of womanhood. During the last year or two the Persians have become awake to the necessity of doing something themselves on similiar lines. It is stated that there are now more than 50 girls' schools in Teheran. Several of the older girls at the American school are training to become teachers, and a few of them are already teaching in the Persian schools during part of the day. In the women's battle, education must always be the foundation of social progress, and it is clear that the women of Persia already owe a deep debt of gratitude to the American missionaries, which it is to be hoped will become greater as the years go on. They no doubt feel amply repaid that educational work is being taken up so extensively by the Persians themselves. In the meantime every new school opened is pushing forward the cause of the women, and it may not be many years before their conferences will have assumed a social aspect rather than a purely educational one. Their sisters in India who have advanced a stage further, will watch these early efforts with the utmost interest and sympathy.

THE BRUSSELS FIRE. THE news that a second, though slight, outbreak of fire has occurred at the Brussels Exhibition is significant in view of the charges, which have been made against the authorities of neglect or failure in organising precautions against such outbreaks. It apparently has been admitted by one of the night watchmen, that the fire was caused by him involuntarily, while he was lighting his pipe. Smoking, of course, among the watchmen was prohibited, but it is stated nevertheless that smoking was general amongst them. The untrustworthiness of the Belgian watchmen and the character of the supervision over them has been proved in the Brussels Police Courts, where there have been several convictions for pilfering from the Exhibition before the fire took place. These facts are bound to tell against the Exhibition Committee, when forthcoming claims against them have to be settled. Collective action is to be taken by the British exhibitors who will seek, if necessary, to make the State responsible for their losses on the ground that the measures of precaution were absolutely insufficient and that the fire brigade service was without organization. The firemen refused to use dynamite in order to isolate the fire at the beginning of the outbreak, giving as the reason for their refusal that they wished to avoid risk to life. A statement that the pumps worked badly has been confirmed. All the sections have made similar declarations to that of the British exhibitors as to culpability, alleging that the organization was defective and that there was deplorable delay in coming to decisions. A leading Brussels newspaper publishes a series of letters calling attention to delay in coping with the flames. Even about an hour after the outbreak, it is stated, no effective measures had been taken. The firemen could not find the hydrants or the hoses were too short, there were no ladders on the spot, and the fire was spreading while the firemen were squabbling as to who should take command. Finally, it was complained that no explosives could be obtained for isolating the fire. Commenting on these letters, the newspaper says it believes their criticisms to be justified at any rate to some extent. The same journal publishes an interview with the Minister of State. He declared that there was no valid claim against the Government or the Exhibition Company owing to the clause in the agreement disclaiming all responsibility. The validity of that clause, however, will be vigorously contested, and it is understood that so far as legal precedent goes the exhibitors are likely to have a good case.

MR. R. CASSON, attache of the Legislative Department of India, returns to Burma this autumn, but probably takes leave before returning to his province.

IT is understood that Savarkar will shortly be placed on his trial, the Government of India having heard nothing of the legality or otherwise of his re-arrest at Marseilles.

MR. RITCHIE, Professor of the Dacca College, has been selected to succeed Dr. A. Stein as Director of Public Instruction, N.-W. Frontier Province.

THE Maharaja of Jodhpur, Bhavnagar and Sambhar have become patrons of the Minto Memorial Park Scheme, Allahabad. The Maharaja of Benares subscribed Rs. 5,000 to the fund.

IT is believed that the Government of India are at present considering the reorganisation of the Border Military Police, and that the measures contemplated will have the effect of putting it on a proper footing, both as regards pay and supervision.

IN the United Provinces alone the number of deaths from suicide during the past year amounted to 2,900, 760 among males and 2,140 among females, against 3,320 in the preceding year. Of these, 2,765 deaths occurred in the districts excluding towns against 3,149 in 1908.

AMONG those to whom an offer has been made for the acceptance of the office of a newly created Honorary Presidency Magistrates for Madras, are the following :—The Hon'ble M. A. Khuddus Badsha Saheb, Rao Bahadur N. Pattabhirama Rao, Mr. P. S. Ganapati Iyer, Mr. E. Srenivasachariar, Rao Bahadur Govinda Doss, Chaturbhuj Doss, Mr. S. Soundararaja Iyenger, and Dr. T. M. Nair.

MR. CAMPBELL, Chief Officer of the Irrawady Flotilla Company's steamer "Nipaul," who was wounded the other day by a Richochette bullet at Kokina, a suburb of Rangoon, while at drill with the Legion Frontiers men, has died from the effect of the injuries. An inquest will be held by the Cantonment Magistrate and possibly the question will be raised, why ball ammunition was used at the drill if meant only to accustom horses to gunfire.

THE entire contents of Eltham College, better known as the Royal Naval School, Eltham, are to be sold by auction on September 13 and 14, the school being about to be closed by order of the Corporation which controls it.

AN international competition of considerable interest has just been announced by the Turin Chamber of Commerce. A prize of 50,000 francs (£2,000) is to be awarded for an invention or discovery which, in the judgment of the jury, will confer the greatest benefit, consistent with economy, upon the industry for which it is designed, or for whose benefit it may be applied. Inventions or discoveries made public before 1908 will not be eligible. The competition is being held in connection with the International Exhibition at Turin in 1911.

THE knapsack of black leather mounted on a wooden frame which the French Infantry soldier has carried hitherto, has been suppressed by order of the Minister for War, General Brun. It is to be replaced by a new kind of knapsack made of brown sacking, and will be carried much lower than the old one, in the method adopted by tourists in Switzerland. The old fashioned knapsack was terribly heavy and cost 12s. The new one is very light, and will only cost about 7s. The new knapsacks will have no stiff framework and will have supple straps. They will not look as smart on parade as the old ones, but they will be a great deal more practical.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

THE ALLEGED-BRITISH SPIES.

Russia and Persia.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, AUGUST 27.

THE authentic particulars available up to the present concerning the two young Englishmen Messrs. Brandon and Trench, who are in custody at Emden on a charge of espionage, do not reach very far, and they contain no indication in corroboration of the theory of the prisoner's guilt. But before stating what is actually known with regard to the affair, it will be as well to clear the ground once and for all of the inaccuracies, mis-statements, and inventions on the matter which have been published in the German Press. The Emden paper, which is presumably better informed than its contemporaries in Berlin and elsewhere outside the immediate neighbourhood of the west coast port, contradicts point-blank the stories that Mr. Brandon attempted to take flashlight photographs of the Borkum fortifications, and that a telegraphic code or cipher was found in the possession of the suspects. It further denies, with equal emphasis, that Mr. Trench either offered resistance to his arrest or attempted to evade it by fight. He was, on the contrary, taken into custody quite quietly at his hotel. In view of these correction, it will be more than ever necessary to exercise reserve in acceptance of the details with regard to the case case that are appearing in the German Press. And now for the few established facts. On Sunday Dr. Zorn, who is Acting British Vice-Consul at Emden, in the absence on leave of Mr. Constantine Graham, received the following telegram: "Arrive seven with arrested friend. Beg assistance.—Trench." Next morning Mr. Trench called at the Consulate and informed Dr. Zorn that his friend Mr. Brandon had been arrested in Borkum within the prohibited area, and that two photographs of Wangeroog had been found upon him. He stated further that he and his friend came from London, and, after spending some time in Denmark, had crossed to Warnemunde and continued their journey to Hamburg. From this point they had proceeded on a tour through the German East Erisian Islands, touching at Syls, Amrum, Heligoland, Wangeroog, Langeoog, Norderney, and Juis, and finally arrived at Borkum on Friday evening last. It appears that Dr. Zorn attempted to obtain permission to have an interview with Mr. Brandon, but was told that until the preliminary investigation had been completed he could not be allowed to see him. He was also informed that the judicial authorities had received telegraphic instructions that Mr. Brandon was to be detained in custody. It is not clear whence these orders emanated. Further, it appears that Mr. Trench, who had at first been arrested with his friend, but set at liberty after his papers and effects had been examined, was once more taken into custody as the result of telegraphic instructions received by the authorities at Emden at noon on Monday. Steps have been taken to secure the service of a local solicitor for the two suspects.

FOREIGN OFFICE STATEMENT.

These are the plain, indubitable facts, so far as they are ascertainable here at the present moment. At the Foreign Office I was informed that the Department had no "official cognisance" of the affair and that its knowledge of it was confined to the fact "that one or two Englishmen had been arrested by the military authorities at Borkum, and that photographs had been found in their possession." In reply to questions as to what grounds of suspicion existed against the pair, as to whether one had been detained in custody, and the other arrested in consequence of instructions communicated to the judicial authorities from an outside source, and as to what quarters these orders came from, I received simply the same response—that the Foreign Office had "no official knowledge" of these matters. The expression "no official knowledge" means, of course that the department has not yet had occasion to occupy itself officially with a matter which would naturally only come within its competence if it were to receive diplomatic representations on the subject, which, I understand, it has not yet done. In considering this case the British reader will do well to bear in mind that the guarantees of personal liberty and the indulgent forms of judicial procedure in which he rejoices in his own country do not exist in Germany, and that the official machine is here even more hampered in its movements by elaborate prescription than it is at home. If, therefore, Mr. Brandon and Mr. Trench are consistently treated as if their guilt had been proved till they are able to establish their innocence, it would be wrong to conclude that this method of dealing with them was adopted merely because they are Englishmen arrested on a charge of espionage. A German would be handled in exactly the same way, and, knowing something of his country's institutions, would expect no other treatment. Only last year a batch of defendants, some of whom had been kept in gaol for as long as eighteen months without once being brought before a public tribunal, were acquitted of offences laid to their charge.

PRINCE VON ARENBERG.

Prince Prosper von Arenberg has been liberated from the asylum at Oberode, and is leaving for Argentina to take charge of a farm. Thus the Socialistic "Vorwarts" is again able to point in triumph to the fulfilment of one of its prophecies. The case of the Prince was one of the most lurid of those scandals of atrocity which have stained Germany's record as a colonising Power. Though he had the reputation of being wayward, wilful, arbitrary, and erratic, he was sent out to South-West Africa more than a decade ago as an officer in the Protectorate forces. Germany had not then learnt from bitter experience that residence in a tropical climate and life among barbarous races have a tendency to strengthen the bad and weaken the good in human nature which only the firmest characters can withstand. The effect of these influences on the Prince's unstable personality were appalling. He drank deeply, and developed an indifference to human life which vented itself in a series of monstrous outrages. Perhaps the worst of his crimes was the deliberate killing of a black boy merely because the unhappy youth had inadvertently disturbed his slumbers. He also shot a native who had failed to procure him women according to instructions, and as the wretched man still showed signs of life he battered his head to a pulp with the stock of his rifle. When a cry was raised that he should be called to account for these infamies, his relatives lemanded that as a member of a princely family, he should be judged by a special Court of his peers. The Emperor decided, however, that he should be tried in the usual way, by court-martial. He was indicted for murder, and condemned to death, but as there was an obvious inconvenience in handing over the scion of a once-ruling house to the common executioner the sentence was commuted to one of twenty years' penal servitude. This was subsequently modified to simple imprisonment, and a few years later powerful friends secured the reopening of the affair on the grounds of insanity. They based their case on the contention that the Prince had from childhood show a tendency to wanton cruelty which was inconsistent with sound human reason. Their arguments prevailed and he was transferred to a sanatorium where he lived under the name Herr Blanden, and so it stated occupied himself with works of benevolence among the poor of the surrounding district. The Arenberge are a dual house who suffered mediatisation in 1810 but remain among the most influential families in the highest rank of the German Catholic nobility.

SUPERSTITION IN BERLIN.

Some 2,000 prophetesses are shaking in their shoes. Their ranks, it is believed, have swelled to this number, and so far are they from being without honour in their native town, that their clients sometimes have to wait for hours before they are admitted into the inner sanctuary where the cards reveal their secrets. But now their golden days are past, for the police are on their tracks. To get a test case they yesterday raided the temple of one of these modern Pythonesses in the North of Berlin. Two ladies were closeted with the reader of oracles, three others sat patiently waiting their turn in the ante-room. They were not members of the classes to which crass ignorance and superstition are supposed to be peculiar, but had come from the fashionable quarters of West-end in carriages and motor-cars. A printed card on the wall informed the victors that they could have their destiny revealed out of their turn by payment of an extra fee of 1s. Greatly to their consternation the clients of the prophetess were obliged themselves to make revealation of their names and addresses. Nor were they comforted by the intimation that in all probability they would be required to appear in open court and help to demonstrate at once the imposture of the fortune-teller and the folly of their own credulity.

TURKEY AND BULGARIA.

An imposing patriotic demonstration took place on Sunday morning in commemoration of the late Servian leader Gregory Sokolovitch, who was killed two weeks ago in his native village near Prilep, Macedonia. Sokolovitch was the foremost protector of the Servian population in Macedonia before the proclamation of the Turkish Constitution and since. Both Turks and Bulgarians had an interest in seeing him disappear from the scene. The news of his death produced a deep impression in Servia, and led to to-day's demonstration, in which all the patriotic organisations and some 20,000 people took part. Many of the Macedonians present took a solemn oath to revenge the death of their beloved leader. It is feared that the death struggle of the nationalities in Macedonia, after a brief respite, may by renewed with its old ferocity and fores. The news of the meetings in Macedonia at which the population protested against the activity of the bands and condemned the conduct of the Bulgarian Government, has produced a most painful impression in Bulgaria. There is a general feeling of disappointment, and bitter attacks are made against the Government. The "Balkanska Tribuna" two days ago published a statement by a Macedonian leader to the effect that the Minister of Finances, M Lyaptcheff, advised the beginning of energetic action against the disarmament of the Bulgarian population. A fund of 32,000 frgs. was handed over to the leaders for such action. The Minister, according to this statement, desired to force the hand of the Bulgarian Government, and provoke armed intervention. Later on M. Lyaptcheff complained that he was not properly assisted by some of his colleagues. Another Sofia paper, "Bulgaria," repeats the accusations against M. Lyaptcheff and M. Genadieff, Minister of Commerce in the former Cabinet, who are said to have organised bands on Bulgarian territory. It further alleges that Government agents have recently induced the Bulgarian population in the Macedonian frontier villages to flee into Bulgaria, this causing the present embarrassment of the Bulgarian Government. Responsibility for these statements must be left with the papers mentioned. The Bulgarian Government has satisfied the Turkish demands concerning the communication to the Press by the Bulgarian diplomatic representative in London, and the incident is now closed. The Turks continue the disarmament in Macedonia on the old methods. Trustworthy news indicates that the meetings of loyalty held in different places in Macedonia were arranged by the authorities, the terrorised inhabitants having no option but to obey. The young Turkish regime is pursuing a bad policy if it thinks it can in such a way deceive the civilised world with regard to its responsibility for the menacing situation in Macedonia. A week ago, in the town of Tikvesh, the authorities in accordance with the law concerning the band, ordered some houses to be burnt down, their owners having fled to the mountains. The soldiers, being rather too eager, set flames to the houses of other Christians, and the lattes fired the Turkish quarter, with the final result that half the town, including nearly all the public edifices, was burnt down.

TURKEY AND GREECE.

Every indication points to an important change in the political situation in Constantinople. A great impression has been produced in political circles by the news that the British Ambassador lately expressed to Rifaat Pasha, Minister of Foreign Affairs, the desire of his Government that the Porte should do what was possible to pacify the population, among whom the Christians complain very much of the treatment to which they are subjected. Similar declarations, it is understood, were made by Sir Edward Grey to the Ottoman Ambassador in London, and by him telegraphed to the Porte. Yesterday, Naum Pasha, Turkish Ambassador in Paris, saw M. Pichon, the French Foreign Minister, and insisted that the Powers should not allow M. Venizelos, the Cretan leader, to take part in the proceedings of the Greek National Assembly at Athens, M. Pichon is stated to have replied that this matter has nothing to do with Turkey, that M. Venizelos was elected by Greeks and not by the Cretans and that M. Venizelos is a Greek subject and had desired to resign his position in Crete, but remained in deference to the wishes of the foreign Consuls. M. Pichon added that the election of M. Venizelos to the Greek Assembly in no way affected the assurances given by the Powers to Turkey. One of the Turkish paper remarks that Crete will be the "tomb" of Greece. Halil, the leader of the party of Union and Progress declares that the Ottoman Government will use every means in its power to prevent the elections of members of the Greek National Assembly in Turkey, which according to the orders of the Œcumenical Patriarch, are to take place next Sunday. This Assembly is to be composed of representatives of all the Greeks in the Ottoman Empire. Its function is to discuss the law with regard to the disputed churches in Macedonia which has been approved by Imperial Irade, and to oppose its application by every possible means. Halil further states that the Government has adopted on the Greek frontier measures to deal with all eventualities, and has taken similar precautions throughout the Empire, because troubles may break out. In the meanwhile, Greece lodged with the Porte the day before yesterday a claim for damages in respect to the boycott of Greek goods. It is believed that in putting forward this claim Greece is acting at the instigation of another Power. However this may be, the Turkish Government refuses flatly to consider the matter, pointing out that even Austria made no such claim. It is understood that Greece persists in her demands.

RUSSIA AND PERSIA.

The negotiations for the withdrawal of the Russian forces appear from Teheran, to be dragging. The Russian Government is understood to be insisting, as a condition of their withdrawal, on the exhibition by the Persian Government of certain marks of goodwill. The Russian demands, as at present formulated, comprise the extension of the copper mining concession in the Karanjadagh and the right of Russian motor-cars to enter Persia free of duty, with a view to exploiting the traffic on the Kesht-Teheran road. While the Persian Government is believed not to entertain any serious objection to the first demand, it appears most reluctant to grant the second, which, by destroying competition, would place the monopoly of traffic on the Kesht-Teheran road in the hands of Russia. At present the concession for

MANCHESTER COTTON SPINNERS.

LOCK-OUT RECOMMENDED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The Federation of the Master Cotton Spinners at Manchester has decided to lock-out the entire trade, if operatives do not consent to refer to arbitration a dispute at Fern Mill, Oldham. The decision has astounded the operatives who declare that it is contrary to the Brooklands' agreement.

The Oldham Operatives Association, yesterday evening, resolved to adhere to the refusal to permit Fern Mill to start again, unless an operative named Howe starts work at the same time. Others said that the question of arbitration could not be entertained.

In an interview, an employer said that the decision was not bluff; it was time that the employers' managed their own mills.

In the event of the cotton operatives not accepting arbitration by Monday, the masters will meet on the 19th instant, and recommend a general lock-out at the beginning of October.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

The Cardroom Workers Executive will not meet until the middle of the week. They refuse the employers' demand for an immediate answer as to whether they will agree to refer to arbitration the Fern Mill dispute.

PRINCE OF WALES' INVESTITURE.

Title of Earl of Chester.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

Steps are being taken to secure the King's assent to the investiture of the Prince of Wales with the title of Earl of Chester, when he passes through Chester en route to Carnarvon.

THE REMAINS OF MR. HOLMAN HUNT.

To be Buried in St. Paul's

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

The body of the late Mr. Holman Hunt will be cremated, and the remains buried in St. Paul's Cathedral.

TYPHOID AMONG CANADIAN RIFLES.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Seven officers of the Canadian Rifles in England, including the Colonel's son, are ill with typhoid. It is believed to have been contracted at a farewell dinner at Quebec.

"NORTH DAKOTA" DISASTER.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The victims of the "North Dakota" disaster were drowned through the flooding of the stokehold, which was the only means of preventing the catastrophe, as the powder-magazine was close to the oil-tanks.

CHICAGO MINERS RESUME WORK.

LONDON, SEPT 10.

Reuter wires from Chicago that 72,000 Illinois coalminers who have been on strike for 23 weeks, have resumed work, having secured a general increase of wages.

NORTH CAROLINA SOFT YARN SPINNERS.

Curtailment of Production.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

The soft yarn spinners of North Carolina have resolved to continue the curtailment of production by fifty per cent. till the 15th October.

RACING AT HOME.

The Cesarewitch Betting

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

Betting on the Cesarewitch is:—5 to 1 against Bronzino, 20 to 1 against Rock Savage, 25 to 1 against Shuletoi and Chestnut, 100 to 8 against Venture, Esperanto and Cambridgeshire, 100 to 8 against Thestory, 100 to 6 against Mustapha and Christmas Daisy, 25 to 1 against Canonite.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Latest betting on the Cesarewitch is:—9 to 2 against Bronzino, 20 to 1 against Shuletoi, 25 to 1 against Admiral Togo and Laughing Mirror.

The Cambridgeshire Betting.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Cambridgeshire betting is 100 to 7 against Halcyon.

ENGLISH CRICKET.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

At Scarborough, Lord Londesborough's England Eleven has beaten the M. C. C. South African team by 97 runs.

AMERICAN POLO TOURNAMENT.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

A New York telegram states that Meadow Brooks beat the Ranelagh team at polo by 9 3-4 to 8.

TRADES UNION CONGRESS.

Boilermakers' Ballot.

BOARD OF TRADE INTERVENTION POSSIBLE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The Trades Union Congress opens at Sheffield on Monday. Considerable interest attaches to the meeting, in view of the industrial unrest. The Board of Trade is watching the Cotton and Boilermakers' disputes, and, if necessary, will offer to assist them in reaching an amicable settlement.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

In connection with the Trades Union Congress to be opened to-morrow, a demonstration, held at Sheffield last night, passed resolutions affirming the international solidarity of labour and protesting against the Osborne judgment which would be made a test question at election time.

Mr. Henderson, M. P., denied that Trade Unionism was played out, and said it was only really a beginning. He urged the Socialists to co-operate.

Mr. J.R. Clynes, M.P., said the boilermakers' lock-out was a bad example to the workers and a day of revenge would come.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

In the boiler-makers' ballot, the majority have refused to endorse the Executive's position. They have empowered the Executive to summon a representative meeting.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The boilermakers' ballot was very small. Out of a membership of 50,000, 10,821 opposed, and 5,481 supported the Executive. The attitude of the majority and of those who abstained, is ascribed to their wish for information as to the nature of the assurances desired by the employers. Hence they supported the calling of the meeting.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

The Committee of the Ship-building Trades Unions which are parties to the National agreement, held a protracted meeting at Sheffield yesterday. They telegraphed to the Employers Federation, requesting a conference at the earliest possible moment with reference to the boiler-makers lock-out.

FRENCH NAVAL FORCES.

Measures against German Preparations.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Reuter telegraphs from Paris that M. Lanessan, the former Minister of the Marine, has published an article protesting against the suggested redistribution of the French naval forces, contending that in view of the German preparations, it is in the North, and not the Mediterranean that powerful fleets should be concentrated, since the attack is most to be feared on the Channel and the Atlantic Coasts. Moreover such a policy is dictated by an understanding with Great Britain.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

The Paris *Temps*, replying to M. Lanessan's article, says Britain is guarding the North Sea and it is the duty of France to police the Mediterranean where the Italian and Austrian fleets are steadily increasing.

COURT-MARTIAL ON LIEUT. SUTOR.

Question of Sanity.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

Lieutenant Sutor to-day again raised the question of the report on his sanity. The President said that the report declared he was perfectly fit.

In the course of the court-martial, Lieut. Sutor admitted that he had broken the regulations, in which he argued he was justified. He objected to the prosecution endeavouring to limit the proceedings to that issue to prevent him giving his reasons. He asked for a full opportunity to clear his honour from these imputations. He desired to call witnesses, including Mr. Haldane, but the Court disallowed this.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Lieut. Sutor's court-martial has concluded. Judgment will be delivered a fortnight hence.

LORD ROSEBERY'S AUSTRIAN MISSION.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The Vienna press heartily welcomes Lord Rosebery's mission as testifying to King George's wish to continue the friendship of Queen Victoria and King Edward with Austria.

RANGOON STEAMER ASHORE.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The steamer "Tymeric" of Rangoon is ashore on a reef off Queensland. Her position is not dangerous.

WILLOWS AIRSHIP'S FLIGHT.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The Willows airship, which flew from Cardiff to the Crystal Palace in August, left the Crystal Palace for the City this morning. It circled St. Paul's, manœuvred over the City, and returned to the Crystal Palace.

GREAT WRESTLING MATCH.

160 Minutes without a Fall.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The wrestling contest between Gama and Zbysco to-day was stopped, after having lasted two hours forty minutes without a fall. The match will be resumed on the 17th of September.

GERMAN ARMY MANŒUVRES.

The Grey Uniform.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

The feature of the German Army Manœuvres has been the complete failure of the aerial scout service. A rainstorm compelled the invaders' dirigible to descend in the enemy's territory, where it was captured. The defenders of the dirigible made a misleading report, the consequence of which was to change the whole position in favour of the invaders. The latter had constructed a line of sham defences, easily visible from above, mounting tree-trunks as guns, while they erected strong fortifications elsewhere. Owing to the height at which it was compelled to remain the dirigible was completely hoodwinked.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The German army manœuvres have concluded. All observers praise the stamina and training of the men who were working in an arduous country, and the unique efficiency of the new double self-contained field kitchens capable of cooking forty gallons of soup and twenty of coffee simultaneously, and the invisibility of the new grey uniforms at a distance or at dusk. The grey-clad cavalry in the twilight were momentarily mistaken for riderless horses.

GERMAN CROWN PRINCE'S TOUR.

Bombay in December.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

The list of the Crown Prince's suite on the Eastern tour is published in Berlin. It includes General Von Schenk, aide-de-camp to the Emperor, and six others.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Reuter telegraphs from Berlin that arrangements for the Crown Prince's tour in the East are at present as follows:—After his visit to Ceylon H. I. H. will arrive in Bombay on the 14th December. He will travel through India, leaving Calcutta at the latest on 14th February for Singapore and Bangkok. An excursion to Java is also being considered and if undertaken the Prince will reach Hongkong in the middle of March. From there he will proceed to Canton and Shanghai and after spending several days in Kiauchau will reach Peking on 10th April. He will arrive in Tokio about the 25th of April starting homeward via Siberia at the beginning of May.

CONGRESS OF TEXTILE INSTITUTE.

Opening at Bradford.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

The First Congress of the Textile Institute has opened at Bradford. Lord Rotherham, presiding, dwelt on the recurring scarcity of raw material particularly cotton and wool. In no branch did the shoe pinch so much as in the cotton trade. The prospects of crops for Lancashire from Egypt were more hopeful, but an abundant crop in America seemed out of the question.

FERRY BOAT FATALITY.

Thirty-nine Drowned in Lake Michigan.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

A railway-car ferry boat has sunk in the middle of Lake Michigan. Thirty-nine of the crew were drowned and three rescued.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S SUITE.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

The Duke of Connaught's suite for his South African Tour, has been completed. It comprises Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, Sir Francis Hopwood, Commodore Wemyss, Major Lowther, Secretary, Captain Rivers Bulkeley, Equerry, Captain Grant, D. S. O., Captain Worthington, Medical Officer, and Miss Pelly, Lady-in-Waiting to the Duchess.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Strike Threatened.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

Meetings of the Great Northern Railway men in London and the provinces to-day will consider the question of going on strike to-morrow. They complain that the Company is adding meal-times to the ten-hour day fixed by the arbitrator.

"HONOR" REFLOATED.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Baron de Forrest's yacht "Honor" which, with Mr. and Mrs. Churchill on board, was stranded near Mitylene has been refloated, and is proceeding to Constantinople.

ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Hon. H. L. A. Hood succeeds Captain Christian in charge of the Royal Naval College, Osborne, on October 10th.

CRETAN'S PRESIDENT'S RESIGNATION.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

M. Venizelos has resigned the presidency of the Cretan Government.

"IKOMA" AT PORT SAID.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Japanese cruiser "Ikoma" has arrived at Port Said.

SOUTH AFRICAN DEFENCE.

Lord Mathuen Asked to Remain.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

General Botha, speaking at Durban, said that while not establishing a standing army and avoiding militarism, it might be necessary as a nucleus to have a small force of garrison artillery. The time had not arrived to establish a navy for the coast defence, but contributions to the Imperial Navy would be continued. "It is our duty to enable the country to defend itself independently of the Motherland. Durban should be fortified as strongly as possible."

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

Reuter wires from Capetown that Lord Methuen has agreed at the request of Messrs. Botha and Smuts to remain in South Africa till April to assist Government with the new defence scheme.

EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION.

Difficulty in Canada.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

Montreal telegrams state that a difficulty is threatened owing to the order of the Colonel of the 65th Regiment to the men to act as guards at the Eucharistic procession of the Host to-morrow. The Militia Department countermanded the order, but the Colonel declares that the men must march.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

Ottawa telegrams state that the authorities have approved the participation of the 65th Regiment in the Eucharistic procession of the Host.

Archbishop Farley, of New York, celebrated an open-air Mass which was attended by fifteen thousands.

Cardinal Logue states that the Congress has been the most successful he has ever attended.

PARIS LOAN NEGOTIATIONS.

LONDON, SEPT. 10.

The Constantinople journal "Tanin," which is believed to reflect views of the Minister of Finance, referring to the deadlock in the loan negotiations in Paris, declares that Turkey will never consent to the conditions or undertake to spend a portion of the loan on industrial purchases in the country making the loan.

RAILWAY DETRAILMENT.

Seven Killed and Fifty Injured.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

A train from Chorburg has been derailed at Burnay. Seven people were killed and fifty injured, several severely.

CHOLERA IN GERMANY.

LONDON, SEPT. 9.

A case of cholera has been notified near Hamburg.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

A case of cholera has occurred at Kopitz in Saxony.

JAPANESE MAYORS IN BERLIN.

LONDON, SEPT. 11.

The Mayors of Tokio and Osaka have arrived in Berlin.

THE IN-COMING MAILS.

ADEN, SEPT. 11.

The P. and O. s. s. "Salsette," with the English mails of the 2nd instant, left for Bombay at 3 p. m. to-day. The s. s. "Malwa" left for Colombo and Australia also at 3 p. m.

THE CHINA OPIUM TRADE.

Effect of Peking Conferences.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 10.

The "Pioneer" says that it appears, that as a result of the conferences that have been lately taking place at Peking, between the British Consul General and the Wai-Wu-Pu the Chinese merchants have come to the conclusion that the severity of the present restrictions on the import of foreign opium is likely to be released in the immediate future, and they consequently have begun to purchase opium more freely than before. This change of attitude naturally has its effect in the raising of the prices offered at the Calcutta sales.

MADRAS FOOD ADULTERATION.

Injurious Practices.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, SEPT. 10.

Food adulteration in Madras has been carried on to such an extent of late, that action has become necessary, and the subject was considered at the last meeting of the Corporation. The South Indian Chamber of Commerce, having received a representation regarding the adulteration of ghee, the committee has ascertained that an extensive and injurious adulteration is practised. The committee resolved to approach the Government with a request that better facilities be allowed than at present exist, for the grazing of the cattle in the Presidency, and impress on the Corporation the necessity for adopting every practicable means for protection against the adulteration of ghee.

SIR CURRIMBHAI IBRAHIM.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SHOLAPUR, SEPT. 11.

To-day a grand meeting of Mahomedans was held at Sholapur, under the auspices of the Anjuman Taide Islamiya and it was resolved to forward an address to Sir Currimbhai.

BOMBAY LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Government of India Follow their Procedure.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, SEPT. 11.

The Government of India have accepted the procedure observed in the Bombay Legislative Council, whereby questions and answers are laid on the table, and are not read out or answered verbally. The supplementary questions and their answers only will be allowed to be read out. This practice will come into force next cold weather, and will require no alteration in the rules, which provide that questions should be asked in any way which H. E. the President may direct. Meanwhile two other points in the rules of business are being taken up. These refer to the rules under which it is laid down that the Law Member should be Chairman of all Select Committees and the procedure of the budget discussion, and owing to the decision for holding continuous sessions in Calcutta, more than one Select Committee will be sitting at the same time, and it will be impossible for the Law Member to preside over all, hence the necessity for amendments to enable other ordinary members of the Council to be Chairmen. The Government of India have been considering the best way of simplifying the procedure of budget discussion, and their proposals are before the local Government.

MUNSHIGUNJ CASE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, SEPT. 11.

A Munshigunj correspondent has sent particulars of the seizure of bombs and swords in the house of Lalit Chowdhury. The police received information that a band of Bengali youths, under the leadership of Lalit Chowdhury, had decided upon to commit a dacoity on Monday night, the 5th instant, and were ready to prevent it and arrest the culprits. Lalit, somehow or other, suspected that the police got scent of it, and made up his mind to postpone the expedition that evening. Lalit was about to start to meet his followers, when the police raided his house. The search was conducted under the supervision of Mr. Dundas and Mr. Azizul Huq, Deputy Superintendent of the Police. It began at about 10 o'clock at night, and the search continued till two o'clock in the morning. The police officers were courteous all along. Eleven bombs, four swords, four torches, notebooks, khattas accounts, and plans were seized. Among the papers seized one contains a formula for making bombs. Among the important documents the police found is a list of names of the members of the Secret Society. This list helped the police very much and quite a number of houses were searched in the interior, and nine arrests made including a lad of nine. Mr. Huq, being interviewed, could not say anything about the nature of the bombs before the receipt of the Chemical Examiner's report, where the bombs were sent. He, however, apprehends they were made according to the formula seized, in which case they would be dangerous to human lives.

MEERUT FRATRICIDE.

Unwilling Witnesses.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT).

LAHORE, SEPT. 10.

A sensational murder case, by one Dubman, of his brother, is being tried by the Joint Magistrate of Meerut. It is alleged that the two brothers, who appear to have belonged to the domiciled community, returned late at night on the 3rd instant, both the worse for liquor and fell out. The murdered brother had marks on his body given by some sharp weapon. A strange development of the case is, that the prosecution witnesses, retracted their original statements, and all deny knowledge of the murder. It is rumoured that some of the witnesses will be legally proceeded against.

COCOANUT BOMB.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BARISAL, SEPT. 10.

On the 12th ultimo a well made cocoanut bomb containing chlorate of potash and other explosives mixed up with bits of broken crockery, lead pellets, etc., was found suspended by a wire hook in the door of the house of a zemindar of the Bahamatpur Bakergunj district, who had shown activity against the movement for the boycott of British goods and had previously received anonymous letters threatening his life which professed to come from the extremists. The bomb was fully rigged with an apparatus for exploding it, and would assuredly have gone off and done considerable damage if the door had been opened without its being seen in time which was fortunately not the case. It is now in the hands of the District authorities and the matter is being gone into by the police.

COUNTERFEITING KING'S COIN.

Coiner Arrested with Instruments.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 11.

A successful raid was made by the Police Superintendent, Mr. O'Dowda, himself assisted by Sub-Inspector Chunni Lal in a village some miles off from Headquarters in which it is alleged a coiner was arrested in the very act of manufacturing the King's coin and some instruments and materials for the purpose of counterfeiting coin; a certain number of counterfeited coins were also seized. The case has gone through the inquiry stage and has been commited to the Court of Sessions.

INDIAN SCIENCE INSTITUTE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, SEPT 10.

It is proposed to lay the corner stone of the central building of the Indian Institute of Science, towards the end of the present year. A considerable number of applications for admission has been received by the Director from students, and he says many of them appear to be well qualified so far as may be judged from the accounts they give of their training. The Institute will accommodate at a minimum 64 students and 8 demonstrators, and most of the buildings will be ready about this time next year.

GYA PRASAD LIFE SAVING FUND.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 10.

The constitution with the rules and objects of the Gya Prasad Life Saving Fund has been published. Rs.20,000 has been endowed for the purpose of granting rewards of gold and silver medals, with certificates, without regard to caste or creed, to persons who display bravery in the saving or attempting to save human life in the United Provinces. The Collector of Cawnpur is the secretary to the fund, to whom all applications should be made.

THE COMING CENSUS.

Special Schedule of Industries.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, SEPT. 10.

The following resolutions have been issued in the Home Department Resolutions Nos.233-249, dated the 28th July 1910. A special schedule was prescribed in connection with the census of 1911, for persons working in mines, factories, etc. Appended to the resolution was a list of the industries, with reference to which it was directed that information should be compiled in the form of the special schedule, and it was explained that the Local Governments were at liberty to include in it any other industries for which they wished to have statistics.

The desirability of including certain other industries in the scope of the enquiry in all the provinces having since been brought to the notice of the Government of India, they have decided to substitute the revised list of industries, which is annexed, for the list attached to the resolution of the 28th July, 1910. The Local Government will, of course, still be at liberty to include such other industries in the list as may seem to them desirable.

The Appendix gives the following list of industries: (1) provision of food; (2) provision of drinks, condiments and stimulants; (3) light, fuel and forrage, (4) building material, (5) vehicles and vessels; (6) supplementary requirements, such as paper mills and printing presses; (7) furniture; (8) arms and ammunition; (9) textiles; (10) metals and precious stones; (11) earthenware and glass; (12) wood, cane, etc., ; (13) drugs, gums and dyes and (14) leather including bone mills.

LOITERER ARRESTED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, SEPT. 10.

Recently a stalwart looking Sikh, aged about 30 years, was found loitering at midnight near a jungle at Bantra in Howrah. He was challenged by a beat constable, who interrogated him as to his whereabouts. The man is stated to have refused to make any statement whatever, and was marched off to the thana. He was produced before the Howrah Magistrate who enquired his name. The suspect, who was attired in the garb of a sadhu, would not answer at first, but mentioned several names afterwards. The removal of his dhoti revealed marks of violence, which he could not account for. The suspect is in hajut and enquiries as to his antecedents are proceeding.

SAVING A RAILWAY DISASTER.

A Duftry's Heroic Deed.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, SEPT. 10.

The following particulars of saving a passing train on the Eastern Bengal State Railway are published:—On the morning of the 1st instant, Gopal Chandra Das, a duftry, in Faridpur collectorate, came to take his morning bath in a small stream passing by the railway line at Gobindpur. He noticed that the bridge on the line was about to give way to the strong current of water, and the passenger train which had just left Shivrampur for Faridpur, was foredoomed to an immediate wreck. The man immediately ran to his house, brought out his red wrapper and spreading it at full length, with two hands up lifted, ran half a mile along the line till he met the train at a safe distance. As the train approached, he continued signalling by taking a bold stand on the line, till the driver was obliged to stop the traig. On examination by the guard, the bridge was declared quite unsafe for the passage of the train and in a few hours it gave way.

MADRAS SCHOOL OF ARTS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, SEPT. 10.

The scheme of reorganisation of the School of Arts, Madras, was brought into force in June last, the chief feature in the new arrangement being the improvement in pay and prospects of the staff, and the placing on a permanent basis of the temporary establishment, formerly attached to the school. Mr. W. S. Hadaway, Superintendent of the School, in his report on the working of the school for the year 1909, mentions that the scheme has already shown fruitful results.

SELLING POISONS WITHOUT LICENSE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, SEPT. 10.

No fewer than 20 charges have been laid against dealers in drugs in the city before the Presidency Magistrate, under Act I of 1904 (Poisons Act), with having kept concealed or possessed for sale without license, poisons liable to confiscation. All the druggists, who are now charged, had, it is alleged, persisted in not taking out a license, in spite of repeated warnings, and their shops in different parts of the city were searched by the police and the poisons discovered in fairly large quantities. The case is posted for hearing on the 21st instant.

BENCH AND BAR AT LOGGERHEADS.

Satisfactory Intervention.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, SEPT. 10.

The strained relations between the Bench and Bar at Feni in Chittagong, came to an end yesterday, through the intervention of the District Judge. The pleaders and mukhtears appeared before the Munsiff, and there was an exchange of "forgive and forget" in the open court.

BENGAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 10.

It is stated that some weeks will elapse before any official announcement can be made on the subject of the formation of the Executive Council in Bengal. The names of some five or six possible candidates are, it is understood, to be submitted to the Home Secretary of State.

It will presumably also be some time before the name of Mr. Sinha's successor in the Legal Membership is announced.

JHELUM DISTRICT RIOT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, SEPT. 10.

A riot recently took place in the Jhelum district. Of the accused, two were acquitted after a protracted trial by Sirdar Charat Sing, the District Judge. Ten were sentenced to three years' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 150 each. Seven to one year's imprisonment and the same fine, and nineteen to six months' imprisonment and Rs. 5 fine each.

DACCA CONSPIRACY CASE

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

DACCA, SEPT. 10.

The nineteenth day's proceedings of the Dacca Conspiracy case commenced to-day at 10-30 a.m. The witness Ashutosh Banerjee was further examined and stated:—"After Bepin Pal's speech there was a strike among the Dacca collegiate students. A national school was started in Dacca, with the expelled boys of the Dacca collegiate students, and other boys. Pulin Babu, Anupam Mag, Babu Lalit Mohan Roy, Ananda Chakravarty Rejani Gupta, and others were the leaders of the school. The school was removed to Wari from Lakshi Bazar, near Pulin's house. I saw lathi play in Pulin Babu's house. I saw lathi play also at Raja's Dewary, Jindabahara's Dane, Tatibazar, Gandaria, Jagannath College, and Hostel at Armanitola, Nayabazar. Pulin Babu, Bhupesh Babu, Harendra Chakravarty, and Ashutosh Das Gupta were the prominent members of the samity. Rati Ray, a constable, informed me that Dinesh Chandra Guha used to teach lathi play at Raja's Dewary. All these samities were connected with the Wari samity. Pulin Babu told me that he learned lathi play from Mr. Martaja. So far as my information then went, I knew that Pulin Babu was the Secretary and Ananda Chakravarty supervisor of the samity. I suggested to the Superintendent of Police, that the movements of the samity should be secretly watched. There was a mock fight at Manikgunge in 1908. It was held in an open field at Kalir Bazar. Pulin Babu Rjani Basak and others were present there. I saw in the samity compound a bara lathi, a shhota lathi, dagger play and wrestling, walls the samity was at Bhuteari, at south Myshandi. There was a competition play in the samity compound in 1908. I attended there and submitted reports; the competition ended with a mock fight at Dhopakhola between the town division on the one side and outsiders on the other. There was another mock fight near the cemetery at Wari. I asked Pulin Babu how he could manage to defray the expenses of his samity, and he told me that there are 500 samities in the muffasil, each of them pays monthly Re. 1 to to this samity, and some samities even pay half of their income. I inquired into a case instituted by Harimohan Banerjee for enticing away a minor, by order of Mr. Salkeld. I helped Monomohan Chakravarty, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, in arresting some of the members of the samity. Some of them gave false names

"I accompanied Manmohan Chakravarty. In searching the house on that occasion, in the first room I found one picture of Kali Aadya, Madhya and Anta Pratigna hung up against a wall. In connection with this case I went to Chandandhuli. I found Manasha, alias Sukumar there and examined him in the presence of Abinash Ganguly, the Sashi Doctor and others, and arrested him and took bail and personal recognisance from him to appear before the Magistrate on the 12th Nov. He on his examination, told me that he had been made to join the samity by Radica Banerjee. He did not appear before the Magistrate on the 12th Nov. On the 13th I found the dead body of Sukumar in the Mitford Hospital. (The witness gives a list of the names of Pulin Das Ashutosh Das Gupta, and others who were under police surveillance.) Pulin Babu was deported on the 14th December 1908. I was given eight special officers to help me in watching the movement of the samity. On the 16th I found the samity. (The witness then identified some cane shields found in the samity in Dec. 1908). I searched the house of Babu Lalit Roy. A letter written by Bhupesh Nag to Lalit Babu, one postcard written by Ashutosah Das Gupta to his father, Kashicas Gupto, care of Lalimohun Roy, some copies of Sonar Bharat, and some other letters were found in the search. I learned that Ashutosh Das Gupta and Archutananda had left Dacca. Manikya Guha was arrested in connection with a kidnapping case at Sunamgunj. I asked about Ashu Babu, Asutananda, Manikya Guha and Sishir Guha, and they told me that they are members of the samity and that Sri Santipada is Asutanands. When we were taking Santipada to Mr. Salked, the District Magistrate, he told us in the carriage that had he been aware that I was so close there would have been bloodshed. On the 30th of July last, Radhika Bonsan Roy was brought under arrest to the Kotwali police station. He gave his name as Jadanath Roy, and said that he came from a place near Brahmanbaria. Afterwards he gave his real name, and told me that he, with Pulin Babu, went to Noakhali to start the Anushilan samity there. Jogendra Das also, when brought under arrest, gave a false name. I know Upendra Sarkar, who has recently been convicted in an Arms Act case. I have seen him in Raja's Dewry samity on two or three occasions. I went to Calcutta on special duty, and saw members of the Anushilan samity live at 92 Beehu Chatterjees St., 41 Cornwallis Street, and also in a house in Amherst Street, the number of which I forget. Pulin Babu told me that they kept us much information about us as we kept about them. On the 16th of December I found on the wall of the samity house written Aisadin Nehirshengs and other things." Witness identified Manikya Guns, Pulin Das, Lalit Mohan Roy Gopiballav Chakravarty, Pramatha Mukerjee Akshya Dutt, Ashutosh Das Gupta, Radhika Nitay, Surendra Roy and also some other boys by the face. Cross-examination reserved. The court at his stage adjourned for lunch.

The Court resumbling at 2-35 p.m., witness Ashutosh Banerjee, on further examination, stated "I asked Prabhat Chandra Roy where he had been from his release in the kidnapping case up till the 7th December 1908. He told me he was at Shirajgunge with Bankim Chandra Roy. I afterwards came to know that Prabhat's real name was Profulla Chandra Sen." The cross-examination is reserved.

Mahammad Meharulla of Shirajgunj stated:—There was a samity named Bandhab samity at Sirajganj in the house of Bankim Chandra Roy. I saw a lathi and sword play in the samity. Bankim Babu was present there. I know the paper "Yugantar." I once bought a copy of "Yugantar" from Bankim Babu's shop. I think I can identify the man who used to teach lathi play there." The witness proved Bankim Babu's signature in some notebooks and papers, and identified Bankim Chandra Roy.

The next witness Nepal Chandra Chakravarty, sub-inspector, stated:—"I searched the houses of Nabaran Chandra Pal and Jogendra Chandradas at Kalma on the 12th April 1909, in connection with the Naria dacoity case. Lists were made of articles found in the search, two shields being found in the house of Tarakanta Das. In searching the house of Nibaran Chandra in a ditch were found ten swords, six kirich, one dagger, one sword stick, two gun-barrels wrapped up in a gunny bag immersed in water. Cross-examination was reserved.

Sambhunath Dhobi on examination stated:—"I know Pulin Babu had a samity. I was working in the khola, then I found a piece of written paper, a pair of moustaches, and a rose made of cloth in the pocket of a coat of some samity man." Witness identified the coat, the piece of paper, the moustache and the rose. The cross-examination was reserved.

Witness Pranbhandu Das, Sub-Inspector of Sadder Kotwali, stated:—"I knew Mahim Mundi's shop in south Myshandi. I searched his shop on the 30th July last. In the search I found a revolver, one dagger, two maps and a bundle of books." Witness identified the articles found. Amongst the books were two copies of drill training, one copy of the North-West Frontier warfare, one copy of the Manual of Military Engineering, one Manuscript of Jiuttsu and wrestling and one copy of Desherkata."

The Court here rose for the day. Mr. P. L. Roy, being ill could not attend the Court yesterday and to-day.

DISCOVERY OF AMMUNITION.

Large Amount in a Lake.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

RANGOON, SEPT. 10.

A large find of ammunition consisting of rifles and revolvers and cartridges was made in a lake in the cantonment this morning by a policeman who went to bathe there. Fifteen hundred cartridges in all were recovered, and the condition of the brass cases, show they had not been long in water. The police are investigating the matter as to the importers, the purchasers and the date of the disappearance.

FRONTIER OUTRAGE.

Parsee Overseer Shot at.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PESHAWAR, SEPT 11.

A Parsee waterworks overseer named Cama was shot yesterday in the shoulder when passing a khasila near Jamrod. His assailant escaped. The injured man is doing well.

"MATRIPUJA" AUTHOR'S RELEASE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, SEPT. 10.

The Lieutenant Governor of Bengal has ordered the release of Kunja Behary, author of the drama entitled "Matripuja" who was sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment for sedition by the Chief Presidency Magistrate in July last. In a memorial to the Government the accused stated that the drama "Matripuja" was prepared by him in the ordinary exercise of his profession without any intention of casting aspersions upon, or bringing into hatred the British Government. As a matter of fact the book had been printed and published long before his apprehension on a charge of sedition, and the piece was played at various places, it was staged at the Industrial Exhibition of Calcutta in the beginning of 1907, and the actual performance was witnessed by the then Lieutenant Governor and other high officials. The accused further submitted that the book obtained a favourable reception at the hands of the general public. Afterwards having regard to the trend of feeling in Bengal and other regrettable incidents, the special branch of the policedepartment thought it desirable to prosecute the author for sedition. The Government took the circumstances of the case into favourable consideration and the prosecuting counsel was instructed not to press for a severe sentence in the event of the accused throwing himself on the mercy of the court. The accused followed this course, and Mr. Swinhoe, on July 12th last, sentenced him to one year's rigorous imprisonment, observing that he had intended to pass a more severe sentense but for the Government's instructions to the Public Prosecutor. After his conviction the accused addressed a second memorial to the Lieutenant-Governor from jail, submitting that the sentence was not a lenient one, and praying for a reconsideration of the question. The Lieutenant Governor has now remitted the remaining portion of the sentence, in exercise of the power conferred upon him by Section 40 of the Criminal Procedure Code and ordered the release of the accused from jail.

THE ANNEXATION OF KOREA.

A most marked increase of interest has been shown by the Japanese Press in Korean matters since the signing of the Russo-Japanese Agreement, and there is good reason to believe that any moment the formal announcement may be made that Koria has been annexed by Japan. Indeed, it is to be remarked that the influential newspapers of Tokio have ceased to speak guardedly of the possibility of annexation; they now only concern themselves with the date on which the announcement is to be made and the political and economic developments that will follow. Remembering the established policy of the Japanese Government of making use of the Press in a manner scarcely to be comprehended by those who are acquainted only with the methods of British journalism, there is reason to give credence, in one main, to the statements made in connexion with the imminent development of the situation in Korea. The British Government is said to have indicated its acquiescence in the contemplated step; all, except the most politically innocent, believe that behind the innocuous seeming Russo-Japanese Agreement is an understanding that Japan's intended action in Korea will be viewed as sympathetically as that projected by Russia in Mongolia, and in regard to other Powers there is no likelihood of protest, as long as established economic rights as established are respected. China's sentiments in regard to the passing of what was until lately an appanage of the Chinese Empire are of as little interest or importance to Japan as were her views on the recent arrangement in connexion with Manchuria, still nominally a portion of the Chinese Empire, to Japan and Russia.

Other considerations apart, it is impossible to withhold from Japan a certain admiration for the manner in which she has made the "denouement" in Korea inevitable. As long ago as 1876 Japan recognized Korea's independence and enjoyment of the same sovereign rights as Japan. Korea at that time acknowledged China's suzerainty. China asserted that sovereignty until after the war with Japan, when by the Treaty of Shimonoseki she acknowledged the "full and complete independence" of Korea. At the beginning of the Russo-Japanese War Japan reemphasized her recognition of Korea's independence. In a treaty between Japan and Korea signed on February 23 1904, the undertaking appears, "The Imperial Government of Japan definitively guarantees the independence and territorial integrity of the Korean Empire." Six months later that independence practically ceased to exist, as Korea agreed to regulate her foreign relations according to the advice of Japan. This assumption of suzerainty was confirmed on November 17, 1905, when the control of Korea's foreign policy passed to the Japanese Foreign Office in Tokio. Prince Ito was appointed Resident General of Korea; sweeping changes were made in administration and the Korean police were largely replaced by Japanese gedarmerie. An abortive attempt made by the Emperor of Korea to enlist the assistance of European Powers in an endeavour to regain his country's autonomy led to his abdication, under compulsion, on July 19,1907. Rioting at Seoul immediately followed and on July 25,1907 the Resident-General virtually assumed supreme control of Korea. The Korean army was disbanded six days later. More recent events are well within common knowledge; the risings in many parts of Korea; the assassination of Prince Ito; the colourless regime as Resident General of Viscount Sone; the significant proclamation of the appointment of a "Colonial Board" in June last, in which Korea was given the status of a Japanese colony, and finally the advent of the Japanese Minister of War as Resident-General, commissioned, in his own words: "to carry out the wishes of my August Master."

This brief historical retrospect is of some value as it affords material for philosophical reflexion upon the mutability of international undertakings. Circumstances admittedly alter cases, but if the precedent were to be accepted that the recognition of special rights carried with it recognition of the right of annexation undertakings to the contrary notwithstanding, Manchuria, Shantung, the provinces bordering Indo-China, Mongolia and Tibet, would be in imminent danger of detachment from the Chinese Empire. Apropos of this, it may be remarked that the analogy often sought to be shown between England in Egypt and Japan in Korea falls to the ground when it is remembered that England never has suggested that her special interests would justify her in annexing Egypt. Passing from that aspect of the question and accepting annexation as a foregone conclusion its effect upon the economic rights of the countries that have treaties with Korea calls for consideration. The semi-official Japanese Press declares that these treaties will be voided by the annexation. Unless some special arrangement be made, therefore, free trade between Japan and Korea will immediately follow and the Japanese Customs tariff will become operative against other Powers interested in Korea's foreign trade. Such an outcome of the impending political developments in Korea could hardly be regarded with equanimity by Shanghai and the commercial interests that it represents, in view of the fact that the Japanese tariff that comes into force next year particularly penalises British good. But it is scarcely probable that Japan will adopt a course having for its object the immediate full realization of the economic advantages that must ensue from the absorption of Korea. The process of assimilation in this connexion is likely to be gradual for reasons of policy, and assurances in this direction have in all probability already been given unofficially. Nevertheless the position has to be faced, that the economic status quo in the Far East is being modified gradually and that the modification involves loss to British trade and commerce. This considedation may lead the Foreign Office to wonder whether the complaints that its policy in the Far East has the effect of subordinating British commercial interests are not justified by the trend of events.

It is reported that Argentina will purchase a third battleship of 28,000 tons in the United States, under conditions similar to those for [illegible]

SPORTING NEWS.

POONA RACES.

Third Day.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, SEPT. 10.

The first meeting was run in ideal weather and the attendance proved quite the largest we have seen so far. The big event of the day, the Aga Khan's Cup, was won by Mr. R. R. S.'s English mare Sosana, the bottom weight in very convincing style from Fizz, who carried top weight. Mr. Apcar's Five Crown, annexed the stakes in the Poona Grand Annual, for which he started favourite, while in the last event Mr. R. R. S's colours were again to the front, Lady Nannie winning as she liked by three lengths.

GRAND ANNUAL—Distance about two miles, over nine flights.

Mr Apcar's Five Crown 11-0.....L C Hoyt 1
Mr Holmes' Mystic Circle, 10-5 2
Mr O'Brien Butler's Idle 9-5.....Owner 3
Major Duffs-Sholto 10-4 .....Hayhoe 4

ALSO RAN.—Vernon 9-6, and Tete-a-Tete 8-0.

BETTING:—5 to 4 on Five Crown, 10 to 1 against Mystic Circle, 12 to 1 Idle, 5 to 2 against Sholto.

THE RACE.—The Five Crown led the greater part of the way. Five furlongs from home, Mystic Circle went up to the favourite, but was unable to head him. Won by a length; 3 lengths between second and third. Time—3min. 54 3-5 secs.

THE WANORIE PLATE—Distance 6 furlongs.

Mr N A S Omer's Rajput 8-7 .....Robinson 1
Mr R R S's Tachrest, 9-2 .....Brown 2
Mr Goculdas's Bay Middleton, 8-4 .....A Hoyt 3

ALSO RAN—Lookman 9-5, Guinea Mohur 8-7, Minerva 8 8, Hurgon 8-6, Gafal 7-13, Hissan 7-5, and Plassy 7-2.

BETTING:—6 to 4 against Rajput, 2 to 1 Tachrest, 3 to 1 Bay Middleton, 6 to 1 Guinea Mohur, and 8 to 1 and 10 to 1 the others.

THE RACE—Bay Middleton made the running for most of the way until Rajput displaced him. At the distance, Tachrest made his efforts, but was unable to catch the leader, who won by 2 lengths; 2 1-2 lengths between second and third. Time—1min. 22 1-5secs.

AGA KHAN'S CUP.—Distance 1 1-2 miles.

Mr R R S's Sosana 7-6 .....Brown 1
Mr Whittingham's Fizz 9-1 .....Barrett 2
Mr Goculdas's Master Delaval, 8-11 .....A Hoyt 3
Mr Avasis's Vancouver 8-2.....Southall 4

ALSO RAN:—May Fowl 9-1, Coat of Arms 8-2, Rustace 8-2, and Kismet 7-13.

BETTING:—6 to 4 against Fizz, 3 to 1 against Master Delaval and May Fowl, 4 to 1 Coat of Arms, 5 to 1 Sosana, and greater odds the others.

THE RACE.—Sosana led the whole way, and won easily by 6 lengths; 1 1-2 lengths between second and third. Time—2min. 37 1-3secs.

POONA DERBY—Distance 1 1-2 miles.

Mr M Goculdas's Racer 7-13.....A Hoyt 1
Mr Ali bin Talib's Tajilmaolk 7-7 .....Kuhn 2
Mr G K's Valens 8-9 .....Hill 3

ALSO RAN:—Hadee 9-2, Young Salanic 9-2, Devon 8-2, Merrily 8-8, Thaboor 8-8, Hoodaib 8 8, Mehraj 8-12, Hyder II 8-9, Straight Tip 8-6, Zinfandel 8-4, Lapwing 8-3, Sandid 7-9, and Sulaik 7.

BETTING:—2 to 1 Young Salanic, 3 to 1 Lapwing, 5 to 1 Valens, and 8 to 1 Racer.

THE RACE.—Thaboor led the field to the 6 furlongs, where he was done with. Sulaik being left with a lead followed by Racer, Valens and Devon. Turning the straight Tajilmulk came through and in the finish between Racer and Tajilmulk, the former won by a head; one length between second and third. Time—1 min 54 1-5 secs.

THE AUTUMN PLATE—Distance 1 1-4 miles.

Mr R R S's Posco 8-5.....Brown 1
Mr Home Billimoria's Pinchar, 8-0.....Manley 2
Mr P B Avasia's Gallileo, 8-13.....Hill 3

ALSO RAN.—Chobham 9-13, Longchamp 9-7, Hilarity 8-13, Forfeit 8-8, Rose of Malta 8-6, Sequent 8-1, Singleton 7-7, Not Yet 7-9, and Milner 6-13.

BETTING:—6 to 4 against Posco, 2 to 1 against Pincher and Forfeit, 5 to 1 Gallileo and longer odds the rest.

THE RACE.—Pincher and Posco cut out work in turn, the former entered the straight ahead of his field, but he was caught by Posco and in a tight race home, the favourite won by half a length. Same distance between second and third. Time—1 min 16 2-5 secs.

THE INTERNATIONAL PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Mr R R S's Lady Nannie, 8-7 .....Brown 1
Mr Kelso's Encourage, 7-3 .....Kuhn 2
Captain J Scott Nimmo's The Missus, 7-12.Barrett 3

ALSO RAN.—Miss Clare 8 8, Cheeky 8-2, Naughty Boy 7-8, and Not So Dusty 7-2.

BETTING.—2 to 1 on Lady Nannie, 3 to 1 Miss Clare, 12 to 1 Encourage, and 10 to 1 The Missus.

THE RACE.—The favourite, who was always handy, came out at the bend, and won easily by 3 lengths; same distance between second and third. Time—1 min 33 secs.

POONA, SEPT. 11.

HANDICAPS.

Poona closed meeting, 1st day, Tuesday, 13th Sept, 1910.

HURDLE PLATE.—R. C. and distance.—Sholto 12st-0lb, Ugly 11st-9lb, Gerald 11st-7lb, Idle 11st-6lb, M Lousiana IH 11st-0, War Cloud 10st-13lb, Mauser 10st-12lb, Vernon 10st-36lb, and Tete-Tete 9-8.

Top weight not accepting, weights to be raised 3 lbs.

THE KEMPTON PARK PLATE.—Disance 6 furlongs—Parkhill (late Hilly Park) 12st-12lb, Sanfremo 11st-10lb, Confederation 11st-7lb, White Heather 11st-5lb, Sholto 11st 3lb, Mallinyook 11st-1lb, The Missus 10st-12lb, Haymaker 10st-8lb, Ugly 10st-7lb, Lousiana III 10st-6lb, Eruption 10st-5lb, Mauser 10st-5lb, Yvette 10st-3lb, Vernon 9st-12lb, Escalla 9st-11lb, and Tet-a-Tete 9st-9lb.

If top weight accepting be under 11-7, it will be raised to that weight, the others in proportion.

THE LONGFIELD PLATE.—6 furlongs—False Start 12st-9lb, Sun Sun 12st-5lb, Mountain King 12st-1lb, Dojan 12st 1lb, Great Power 11st-2lb, Empress 11st 2lbs, Olion 11st, M.V.O. 10st 9lb, Arth 10st-8lb, Hafiz 10st-7lb, Nagashi 10st-6lb, Little King 10st-4lb, Grey Fox 10st-2lb Little Officer 10st-3lb, Sher 10st-1lb, Ramah 9st-12lb, Norwood 9st-11lb, and Colonel 9st-7lb.

Top weight not accepting, weights to be raised 4lbs.

1st Meeting: 4th Day.

SATURDAY, 17TH SEPTEMBER.

HORSES STRUCK OUT.

THE POONA GRAND NATIONAL.—Mount Dane, Five Crown, May Fowl, Sholto and Mauser.

THE ECLIPSE PLATE.—Parkhill and Cill Dara

THE VISITORS PLATE.—Absentee, Lord Barrymore, Galloping Girl II and Apology.

THE DESERT PLATE.—Shawcutt and Lord Mayor.

THE SHOLAPUR PLATE.—Shawcutt, Valens and Urgent.

THE CHINCHWAD PLATE.—Siriska, Ameen, Ejnah and Guinea Mohur.

CALCUTTA RUGBY TOURNAMENT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, SEPT. 10.

The following team represents the Madras Gymkhana in the forthcoming Rugby Football Tournament in Calcutta, R. A, Grey, Captain J. C. Boyson A. H. Steele, F. Sayers, H. D. Thwayth, R. S. Milton, V. N. Russel, W. M. Browning, A. S. Todd, S. G. M. Smith, J. D. Legge, L, Waker, T. Harvey, F. H. Goffe, T. N. Graham, R. Farquarson, F. E. Conningham. The team leaves Madras this evening.

CALCUTTA, SEPT. 10.

The other two games in the first round of the Calcutta Rugby Cup Tournament were played off this evening. The game between the Calcutta F. C. and the United Services on the C.F. C.'s ground resulted in a win for Calcutta by 9 points to nil. The exchanges were fairly even during the initial half, when no score was registered. After ends had been changed the Calcutta F. C. did all the attacking, and scored a try which was unconverted. Continuing to attack they scored a goal off a penalty for offside. Later on Turnbull scored a splendid goal off a mark.

In the second game on the Dalhousie ground the West Ridings had an easy victory over the Dals, their large margin of victory being by 45 points to nil or three drop goals and 6 tries to nil. As the scores indicate, the game was very one sided throughout. The Dalhousie defence was nowhere.

The second round begins on Monday, when Calcutta meet the R.s. York and the West Ridings meet the Shropshires. On Tuesday the Nomads meet Bombay Gymkhana, and the Madras Gymkhana meet the South Behar Barbarians.

CALCUTTA MONSOON RACES.

Second Extra Meeting.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, SEPT 10.

Today's races which were run in a very trying weather, resulted as follows:—

SECOND HORSE SELLING RACE—Distance 7 furlongs.

Mr Roland's Lasso.....Beaumont 1
Mr J Piper's Jaffa Girl.....Thoburn 2
Mr W E Taylor's Wake Up.....Northmore 3
Mr J G Baliantyne's Bird of Freedom...Mr Evers 4

Won by 1 1-2 lengths; 2 1-2 lengths between second and third and 11-4 between third and fourth. Time—1min. 37 2-5secs.

Totalizator paid Rs. 24 on the winner and Rs. 13, Rs. 19 and Rs. 21 for places.

FOUATH AMATEUR HURDLE DIVISION I—Distance 1 1-2 miles.

Mr Cowper's Moisonette.....Owner 1
Mr Delton's Mahomet .....Mr Evers 2
Mr L Walker's Master John.....Mr Steele Perkins 3

Won by 3 lengths; 1 1-4 lengths between first and second and 5 lengths between second and third. Time—3mins. 4 4-5secs.

Totalizator paid Rs. 21 on the winner, and Rs. 15 and Rs. 16 for places.

FOURTH AMATEUR HURDLE DIVISION II.

Mr Atkinson's Victor .....Mr Barrow 1
Mr Glen's Ballsar .....Owner 2
Mr Evor's Sir Walter.....Owner 3
Mr Morris' Blue Belle II.....Mr Tanner 4

Won by 8 lengths between second and third, and 4 lengths between third and fourth. Time—3min. 7 4-5secs.

Totalizator paid Rs. 41 on the winners, Rs. 12 and Rs. 12 for places.

PONY HURDLE.—Distance 1 mile 2 1-2 furlongs.

Mr Olive's Spec.....Owner 1
Colonel Smith's Bandy Leg.....Northmore 2
Mr Field's Selace.....Mr Blatsee 3
Capt Gourlie's Marconi.....Mr Glen 4

Won by 2 3-4 lengths; 1 length between second and third, and 2 lengths between third and fourth. Time—2mins 42 3-5secs.

Totalizator paid Rs 78 on the winner and Rs 13, Rs 11 and Rs 12 for places.

THE ASSAYE PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Mr Clive's Tod.....Thoburn 1
Mr A N Das's Sidonia.....Murdison 2
Mr J D Scott's Wal.....Mr Evers 3

Won by 3 lengths; 2 lengths between second and third.

Totalizator paid Rs 55 on the winner and Rs 15 and Rs 14 for places.

AUTUMN PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Mr T S Smith's Poudrette.....Murdison 1
Mr Leak's Tana.....Baumong 2
Mr J Piper's Scoteh Girl.....Thoburn 3

Totalizator paid Rs 38 on the winner and Rs 15 and Rs 18 for places.

JUMPERS' HANDICAP PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Mr J Piper's Huloya...—.....Randall 1
Mr A N Das's.....Murdison 2
Messrs Shaque ans Zamin's Silix .....Butlin 3
Mr W E Taylors' Wake up.....Barrow 4

Totalizator paid Rs 74 on the winner and Rs 15, Rs 12 and Rs 12 for places.

FOOTBALL.

Rovers' Junior Tournament.

ST. MARY'S (B) vs. CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL.

The first match of the Rovers' Junior Tournament took place on the Cooperage on Saturday evening between the above teams, and a very exciting game ended in a one goal to nil victory for the High School.

Result:—Cathedral High School..... 1
St. Mary's (B) 0

Harwood League.

GLOSTERS' vs. COMMERCIAL GYMKHANA.

After the Juniors had finished displaying their prowess, the above teams took the field, both elevens being rather badly represented, in the closing fixture for this season of the Harwood League.

The Military practically had matters all their own way, and ran out winners by seven goals to nil.

Result:—Glosters 7
Commercial Gymkhana..... 0

Harwood League Cup.

PRESENTATION TO R. G. A.

After the Glosters' match the presentation of the Cup and Medals took place. Mr. Cadell, in a most appropriate speech, congratulated the E. G. A. on their success and wished them similar successes in the station for which they shortly leave, after which Mr. Cadlip presented the Cup and Medals to the champions of the League, amidst hearty cheers.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA MUD SPORTS.

The following is the programme for Wednesday, 14th September, at 5-30 p.m. (weather permitting).

1. Section Jumping.
2. Sabre Exhibition.—Competitors will thrust at the first head on the off side, then at one on the near ride and take a tent peg. Marks for pace and style.
3. Heads and Posts for Ladies.—Ladies armed with poles used for pig-sticking will take the first head on off side, go over a jump and take the second head on the near side. Marcks for pace and style.
4. Rounding up Competition.—Teams consisting of one lady and two men will start together and each team will drive a bullock between 2 posts and then into a zarsba. Pig-sticking poles to be used by the lady only to guide the animal. No prodding or beating allowed. The men to guide the bullock with their horses and may use their voices to encourage it.
5. Crusader Stakes.—Men dismounted will line up opposite ladies, who will be in possession of the men's spurs, and of 2 strips of red cloth, and needle and thread. On the word go men will run to ladies who will buckle on their spurs and after threading their needles sew on the two red bands in the form of a cross. The men will then mount their horses, hold close at hand by syces, gallop a heap of cocoanuts, representing infidels' heads and bring one back to winning post. First in correctly equipped and in possession of an infidel's head to win. All apparatus provided.
6. Horse Scurry.
7. Pony Scurry.

If there are insufficient entries in either event they will be run off together.

Entries to be made before the fourth event and competitors are requested to enter details on a board, placed near the mat shed.

SEIZURE OF ILLICIT OPIUM.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 11.

Ghazipur news says that the police succeeded in running down five Chittagong Mahomedan Bengalis and one up-countryman just when they were leaving by railway train with 36 cakes of opium, weighing one seer each. In consideration of the well-organised operations of the culprits the trying Magistrate has sentenced them to one year's rigorous imprisonment each and a fine of Rs. 250.

As a result of representations made by the General Shipowners' Society, London, the Board of Trade is reconsidering the scale of medicines prescribed for use on board ship. It has been found that many of the drugs which vessels are compelled to carry are never used, whilst others which should form part of the equipment of every ship are omitted. With a view of assisting the Board of Trade to arrive at a decision on the subject, medical officers of the leading steamship lines, have formulated a modern list of supplies. In drawing this up regard has been had to the faster passages now made by steamers as compared with the days of sailing ships, when the existing scale was prescbried

CRICKET.

Bombay Hindu Gymkhana vs. Kattiawar.

TALL SCORING BY BOTH SIDES.

THE Bombay Hindu Gymkhana met the All Kattiawar team on Saturday and yesterday on the Kennedy Sea Face, when a most interesting and keenly, contested match was witnessed. A large number of spectators turned out on the first day, expecting H. H. the Jam Sahib to participate in the match, but His Highness could not find it convenient to play. Both sides put into the field the strongest possible teams they could get together and the contest provided excellent cricket. The wicket played fast and true, and from the very commencement it was apparent that tall scoring would be the order of the day on both Saturday and Sunday. The bowlers on both sides had an extremely difficult task to perform as it was practically impossible to get any work on the ball at all. Looking to this circumstance the tall scoring on both sides is not to be wondered at all. Indeed, if there is anything to be surprised at it is that the scores did not reach still higher figures. In fact, on a previous occasion, the Hindu Gymkhana did run up a bigger total which was against an Alighar team on this very ground and they would have done it yesterday if there had been sufficient time. Kattiawar first going in to bat made 380, the Hindu Gymkhana replying with a total of 391 for 4 wickets, when stumps were drawn. As it was a two days' match, the game resulted in a draw. The Hindus had, however, the best of the game as they passed the Kattiawar total with the loss of only four wickets. When play was resumed yesterday morning, the match had lost half its interest as there was no chance of the contending elevens having two complete innings each. But during the last hour the game reached quite an exciting stage. A draw was inevitable, but the Hindus had the chance of passing their opponents' total, which they eventually did. Stumps were timed to be drawn at 6-15 p.m., and the Hindus had made 300 at a quarter to six. There was exactly half an hour in which to make the required 80 or so. Runs had been coming in a at brisk rate, but still it was no light task the Hindus were set to. Talpade and Pai, however, hit out with splendid rigour and knocked up the required number of runs just in time. The visitors won the toss and naturally elected to bat on a plumb pitch like this. On Saturday they made 235 for 6 wickets, which total they carried to 380 the next day. Simms who went in sixth was not out with 176 to his credit at the close of the Kattiawar innings. The Sussex Amateur played a characteristically merry game which naturally immensely pleased the spectators who enthusiastically cheered the apparently never-ending sixes and fours—eighteen 4's and five 6's—which came off his bat. His free unorthodox style of batting naturally involved the taking of risks and he gave about three chances. But that, as stated above, was the natural result of the free tactics which he adopted, and he deservedly received an ovation on his return to the pavilion. Cheatham, the old Presidency player, who skippered the visiting Eleven was the next highest scorer with 78 to his credit. Though his contribution fell short of that of the Sussex amateur by nearly a hundred, still he would be only fair to him to say that his effort was much superior to Simms. Going in first he, by his sound cricket which was faultless except for a chance or two, paved way for the later batsmen to run up a big total, while Simms had the advantage of playing to bowlers when they were more or less tired by the hard day's outing. Oghad Shanker came third with a contribution of 48. To the Kattiawar total of 380, the Hindu Gymkhana as stated above responded with 391 for 4 wickets when time was called. The draw was three very much in their favour. The distinguishing feature of the Hindu batting was the fine faultless innings of Date who made 113, which included fourteen 4's. L. K. Diverker scored 78 and had the misfortune to be run out when he looked like making a century. Pai and Talpade contributed fine innings of 67 and 58 respectively and were deservedly cheered on their return to the pavilion for the fine, successful attempt they had made for their side to pass the Kattiawar total. The scores:—

KATTIAWAR.

H Cheetham (Capt), b Joshi	...	78
Ratilal, b Balu	...	7
Oghad, b Joshi	...	48
Maganlal, c Pai, b Talpade	...	12
K S Bhojraji, c and b Date	...	2
Simms, not out	...	176
Major Carter, b Balu	...	1
F Trotter, c Date, b Balu	...	21
Umrigar, c Talpade, b Date	...	23
Ambalal, l-b-w, b Talpade	...	0
Keshavlal, run out	...	2
Extras	...	10
Total...		380

HINDU GYMKHANA.

S K Diveker, run out	...	71
N Diveker, b Keshavlal	...	21
K A Date, c Umrigar, b Simms	...	113
C V Mehta (Capt), b Bhojraji	...	28
M D Pai, not out	...	67
W Talpade, not out	...	58
Joshi...	...	Did not bat.
Shivram	...	
P Balu	...	
M Deo	...	
K Sesachari...	...	
Extras...	...	33
Total (for 4 wicket)...		391

BOWLING ANALYSES.

KATHIAWAR.

	O	R	M	W
Balu	37	141	8	3
Date	20	43	4	2
Joshi	21	69	5	2
Shivram	20	62	0	0
Mehta	3	15	0	0
Talpade	9	40	0	2

HINDU GYMKHANA.

	O	R	M	W
Simms	23	89	1	1
Keshavlal	23	90	2	1
Oghad	12	62	0	0
Umriger	20	56	3	0
Bhojraji	5	30	0	1
Cheetham	5	31	0	0

THE TRIANGULAR CONTEST.

PARSEES vs HINDUS.

The following gentlemen have been selected to play for the Parsees against the Hindus on 15th, 16th and 17th September, on the Bombay Gymkhana ground:—

1. Dr. M. C. Pavri (Captain)
2. Mr. M. D. Bulsara.
3. Mr. R. P. Meherhomji.
4. Mr. J. S. Warden.
5. Mr. H. F. Mulla.
6. Mr. S. M. Chothia.
7. Mr. D. D. Driver
8. Mr. D. K. Kapadia.
9. Mr. N. M. Dinshaw.
10. Mr. D. C. Daruvalla
11. Mr. M. B. Vatcha or S. F. Madon.

Reserve.—1. Mr. M. Parekh

Umpire—Mr. R. E. Mody.

Secretary and Scorer—Mr. J. M. Divecha.

LAHORE-BOMBAY MAIL SERVICE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, SEPT. 10.

The introduction of a new additional mail service between Lahore and Bombay by the Nagda Muttra Chord, which was to have been opened on the 1st November, has been postponed probably till the new year.

QUETTA STAFF COLLEGE COURSE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, SEPT. 10.

It is understood that at the next Quetta Staff College course, which will open in February, there are likely to be one or two vacancies for the officers taking the one year's course.

THE WEATHER.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SIMLA, SEPT. 10.

The depression in Bundelkhand has moved in the north-westerly direction over Delhi in the neighbourhood of which it has given moderately heavy rain and is likely to move further in direction slightly west of the north its breaking up in the hills will probably mark the termination of the monsoon in the North-West of India. The rainfall has been nearly general in the Bihar, United Provinces, East Punjab and Malabar. It has been fairly general in Chota Nagpur, the West of the Central Provinces and Konkan, while there has been few falls in Burma, Assam, Kashmir, East Rajputana, Central India and West of the Coromandel Coast.

The principal amounts are:—Mysore, Slipper Island had two inches; Mandalay, one; Maymyo, one and a half; Jessore, three; Darbhanga and Mainpuri, one; Meerut, one and a half; Cananore, Roorkee, Dehra Dun, Chakrata, Muktesar, Amballa and Ludhiana, two; Simla one and a half; Delhi, four; Jubbulpore, one; Pachmarhi, one and a half.

Forecast.—An extension of the rainfall North-Westwards in the Punjab. A diminution in the Central Provinces and Eastern Gangetic plain.

Earthquake report.—Slight earthquake recorded at Simla yesterday at twelve hours, forty-six minutes from a distance of about five hundred miles.

SIMLA, SEPT. 11.

The depression yesterday near Delhi has broken up against the Simla, Mussoorie hills, and given heavy rain in its immediate neighbourhood. The rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, North-West of the United Provinces, South-East of the Punjab, local Upper Burma and East of the Central Provinces, while few falls have occurred in Eastern Bengal, Assam, Bengal, Ladak, and the extreme South of the Peninsula.

The principal amounts are:—Yamethin, Monywa and Calcutta had one inch; Meerut, one and a half; Roorkee, five; Dehra Dun, four; Muktesar, two; Chakrata, six; Simla and Ludhiana, three; Delhi, two; Amballa, four; and Jagdaipore two.

Forecast.—The rainfall will greatly diminish in the South-East of the Punjab and the North-West of the United Provinces, but may increase slightly in the extreme North.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

	Byculla In Cts	Ins	Colaba. In Cts	Ins	Fort In Cts	Ins
Previously registered	66	34	63	01	62	43
Saturday, 9th September	0	04	0	21	0	18
Total	63	31	56	88	58	03
Same date last year	80	64	76	29	58	31

	47	00		
	0	00		
	49	36		
	62	63		

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September 10.

Rainfall up to 8 a. m.

Station.	Last 24 hours.	Total to date.	Corpdg. Total 1908.	Corpdg Total 1909.
Oumballa	In. cts.	In. cts.	In. cts.	In cts.
Hill ...	0 00	58 11	58 51	75 72

RAINFALL AT MATHERAN.

Matheran, Sept. 9.

	Inches.	Cents.
Week ending 9th Sept. 1910.	5	96
Previous total	147	55
Total.....	153	51

Appended is Saturday's report of the Meteorological Reporter for Western India based on observation taken at 8 o'clock.

Names of Stations.	Maximum temperature during the past 24 hours.	Minimum temperature during the past 24 hours.	Rainfall past 24 hours.	Rainfall since 1st June to date.
Bushire (9th Sept.)	96·6	81·1	...	...
Jask	92·8	83·3	...	...
Muskat (9th Sept.)	96·3	87·1	...	...
Multan	103·8	81·5	...	1·64
Rawalpindi	93·4	70·4	...	26·41
Lahore	92·4	76·2	...	11·32
Sirsa	87·8	74·1	0·30	7·78
Ambala	81·7	74·0	1·86	22·19
Delhi	82·7	75·2	4·00	18·76
Agra	87·0	77·0	0·71	19·12
Mainpuri	81·3	77·0	1·15	16·90
Jhansi	84·5	75·5	0·12	27·59
Cawnpore	86·2	75·0	1·78	25·37
Allahabad	88·6	78·6	...	21·49
Jacobabad	95·1	77·8	...	2·36
Karachi	84·0	74·0	...	12·16
Ajmer	83·4	73·7	...	16·08
Jaipur	88 2	74·6	0·33	13·65
Kotah	85·5	77 1	0·02	24·12
Bhuj	99·1	74·5	...	20·42
Dwarka	84·8	77·2	...	13·61
Veraval	83·1	77·3	...	14·44
Rajkot	90·6	72·5	...	31·39
Bhavnagar Para	92·6	75·5	...	24·12
Surat	...	...	...	...
Ahmedabad	91·6	74·7	...	23·73
Deesa	93·3	73·4	...	23·23
Neemuch	81 0	70 8	0·15	26·32
Indore	78·1	64·1	0·02	26·13
Jubbulpore	80·8	72·3	0·95	36·63
Saugor	84·6	71·0	0·22	29·37
Hoshangabad	75·6	70·9	0·23	44·19
Khandwa	78 7	72·6	...	18·99
Akola	82·2	70·8	0·10	26·16
Amraoti	80·8	70·8	...	28·96
Nagpur	83 1	71·8	0·10	44·84
Chanda	85·5	72·0	...	?
Saipur	84·7	73·6	...	51·86
Bombay	87·1	77·9	...	49·56
Ratnagiri	83·3	73·9	0·42	72·93
Mormugao	82·5	78·7	0·05	72·05
Karwar	80 3	73·5	0·19	101 25
Malegaon	84·9	72 1	...	20·38
Ahamednagar	82 9	61·0	...	23·43
Poona	83 0	64·3	0·03	22·25
Sholapur	86·9	67·9	...	15·13
Bijapur	87·2	66·7	...	12 02
Belgaum	78·3	63·6	...	32·79
Aurangabad	81 2	66·2	...	21·84
Nizamabad (Indur)	87·9	71·7	...	24·87
Hyderabad	86·8	71·2	...	16·96
Mangalore	81 3	68·3	0·42	98·32
Calicut	79·8	73·6	0·10	69·32
Cochin	84·2	75·3	0 60	68 39
Colombo	85·5	77·0	...	13·51
Masulipatam	93·3	79·2	...	23·72
Bellary	86 0	69·3	...	10·35
Cuddapah	91·2	74·3	...	28·88
Madras	94 0	76 5	0·13	16·23
Bangalore	79 3	64·3	0·01	25·19
Coimbatore	87·4	68·8	...	5·97
Trichinopoly	92·6	75·3	...	13·59
Negapatam	93·0	77 0	...	16·47

BOMBAY DAILY WEATHER REPORT FOR THE 10TH SEPTEMBER.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 10th September, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—General rain has fallen in the east Punjab; Ambala has had 1·80", Delhi 4·60" and Sirsa 0·30." Skies are clear in the extreme north and the south-west, and heavily clouded elsewhere. The moisture in the air is in excess in the area of cloudy skies, where the temperature is also in defect.

The United Provinces.—Rainfall has been general in the west United Provinces; Cawnpore has had 1·78

BY THE WAY.

THE "STICKIT" CARPENTER.

For the first in his career Abdul Hamid is exciting some pity in the breasts of the civilised world, and doubts are felt whether he is treated quite fairly. The poor man is in a deplorable state: his nerves are shattered, and he lives in constant fear of assassination. This is no way surprising. He can hardly help being desperately self-centred and hypochondriacal when he is allowed to see no newspaper nor to hear a whisper of what is going on outside the walls of the Villa Allasini. Recent accounts do not mention whether he is still allowed to beguile the tedious hours with the highly sensational novels of Gaboriau and Ponson du Travail, not very suitable medicine, in any case, one would think, for a mind diseased, but he still continues his carpentering. Even this favourite hobby-horse, however, is made to turn and rend the poor rider, because he desperately wishes to sell a wardrobe he has constructed, feeling that his reputation as a carpenter is at stake. His warders, fearing the presence of some secret drawer containing missives for his friends, refuse to grant him even this paltry gratification, an absurd precaution, for the wardrobe need not get into the hands of his friends, and in any case it must be possible to detect such a contrivance. So the poor carpenter is distracted with grief. He feels himself a failure at his own pet avocation, a "stickit" carpenter, and there is nothing more maddening than that.

A TARTAR AMONG THE CACHALOTS.

We are all acquainted with the extra-ordinary vitality shown by some animals. A dog may seem to be permanently flattened under the wheels of a motor-car, and yet it will recover its figure and be none the worse for the experience. Surgeons of an experimental turn of mind have transferred the spleen from one dog to another, and the animal shows no antipathy to the introduction of the "foreign body." Lieutenant Shackleton beat all records, and inoculated us against any possible attack of wonderment hereafter when he produces his rotifers, which came up smiling, however much they were boiled or frozen. In comparison with these the achievement of a whale in carrying a harpoon in its body for seven years, and assimilating the steel and wood so successfully that it was in perfect health at the end of that period, may seem a small matter. Incidentally, however, it turned out to be a big matter, because the initials and date on the harpoon, "J. D., 1902," led to the discovery of the fate of the whaler to whom those initials referred, the Canadian John Duncan whose disappearance had always been a mystery. So the German liner which rammed the whale in the Atlantic conferred accidentally a great benefit on the relatives of the lost crew. There is little doubt now that the whale of great vital energy was more than the little craft could manage, and that she caught a Tartar, and paid she penalty.

VALUATION FORMS.

Mr. Lloyd George considers that landowners have no just cause to complain of the mighty array of questions submitted to them in the valuation forms. If, in doubt, they can apply to the land valuation officers. If this suggestion is carried out, the lives of these officers will assuredly be made a burden to them. There are two additional worries for the landowner. Firstly, there is often no basis for a fair assessment of site value. How is anyone to arrive at the price in open market of a farm stripped, in imagination, of his byre and cartsheds and pigstye and living house, stripped, too, of its crops and trees? And if the absence of any satisfactory basis the value is put too low, the owner will suffer hereafter when increment value duty comes to be levied. If, on the other hand, the total value, on which the site value is based, is put too high, not only the estate duty, but his income-tax, and in some cases the undeveloped land duty, will be unduly bloated, so that the unfortunate owner is between Scylla and Charybdis.

THE DECAY OF DISCIPLINE.

A new Apache pleasantry in Paris, where one of these agreeable fellows has wounded a passer-by in the exuberance of his own victory over a brother professional in a duel, reminds us that the continued existence of these Apaches as a menace to public safety in a great city has come to be accepted by the world very much as a matter of course. Paris has proved herself so entirely helpless that an astonished indignation has been merged in an apathetic indifference, and Apache and his revolver and his woundings and his killings and his murderous campaign against the police seem as much a part of new Paris as the Eiffel Tower or the old Pont Neuf or the taxi-cab or—alas!—the litter of dirty paper which is daily trampled underfoot along the boulevards. Yet the judicious must grieve from time to time. If the weak sentimentalism which prevents the extermination of the Apache pest be ominous for Republican France, it is also a menace to law and order in a wider sense. Nothing is more startling than the fact that as civilisation advances with every refinement of luxury, the maintenance of order seems to be less and less easy. Some of the causes responsible for tendencies that are widespread and disastrous in the modern world may be sought and found without much difficulty. But the decay of discipline remains obvious and ominous.

AN ACADEMIC PLEBISCITE.

M. Frederic Lollise is of opinion that Academicians, instead of being co-opted, ought to be elected by the larger constituency of the Societe des Gens de Letters. He has accordingly organised a plebiscite among the members of that society, with interesting results. No fewer than 278 members were persuaded to vote; and the writers whom the majority nominated for the seats at present vacant were M M. Paul Adam, Henri de Regnier, and Henry Bataille. Women being eligible, a certain number of votes were given to Mmes. Marcel Tinayre, Curie, and Severine; and MM. Mistral Jaures and Francois Fabre were also in the running. Curiously enough, the only one of the actual candidates for the three vacancies who received a vote was M. Pierre Nolhac, and he had only a single supporter.

THE AMERICANS AND KING EDWARD.

King Edward was very popular in America. Mr. James Milne, who has recently returned from the United States, and who describes some of his impressions and experiences in a chatty and readable article—"The personality of America"—in the "Fortnightly," tells that he saw "endless evidences of sorrow for his death." "It isn't," a well-known American said to Mr. Milne, "that we take much stock in Kings as such; we don't, but we understand how fine a constitutional sovereign King Edward was, and what good work he did for the world. Above all, we feel that he was a good fellow, a good sportsman in every walk of life, a man who being set on a throne, remained quite human. It was this quality which attracted Americans to King Edward; and if it had been possible for him to visit America during his over-short reign, why he would have had a welcome to make the world talk." That, says Mr. Milne, was no undue estimate of the King's place in the esteem of America, as, going up and down the country, you heard it expressed by all classes of people.

SIR HENRY IRVING.

The late Sir Henry Irving was also a great favourite with the Americans, and some new stories concerning him have fallen into Mr. Milne's "wallet" One may be given. A bugle sounds half an hour before breakfast on an Atlantic steamer. A young bugler was accustomed to make his first blast just where Irving's cabinunite happened to be. The "drowsy morn" had twice been waked in this fashion for the famous actor who was in no special hurry to greet it. On the third morning a poetic head, which streamed down into a long, lank figure and a dressing-gown, came out of the cabin-door and exclaimed, "Dear bugler boy, you blow beautifully and I love your music. But I should love it still better if you would blow at the other end of the ship." The head disappeared, and so did the bugler, richer by a particular word from Henry Irving.

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SCIENTIFIC NOTES.

THE AUGUST METEORS.

The August meteors have come and gone, and the records which have been made by astronomers may be expected to add something to our knowledge of these interesting bodies. According to Mr. F. W. Denning, one of our greatest authorities on the subject, this display is the most important and best-known of all the annual star showers. Beginning in the middle of July the number of meteors increases up to August 12, when they average from 20 to 100 per hour. In some notes contributed to "Knowledge," Mr. Denning remarks that these perseids have a parent comet, though the connection cannot be considered to be absolutely proved. The general view, indeed, is that all meteor swarms are parts of cometary systems, stony or metallic fragments of matter occupying parts of the comets' orbits, and drawn into the earth's atmosphere.

DO NOT REACH THE GROUND.

The important thing to record of a meteor is its path in the sky, and as the perseids leave phosphorescent streaks behind them, this is readily done in their case. Observations show that these meteors are fifty to seventy miles high, and they seldom penetrate nearer to the surface of the earth than forty miles. Like the Orionids and Leonids, they belong to the swift class of meteors, and have never been known to reach the earth as meteorites. It is the slower moving class which sometimes reach the ground, and are picked up as stony or metallic fragments. Although much has been learned of these August meteors, "the tears of St. Lawrence," there is, Mr. Denning points out, much need for further careful observation.

BUTTERWORT'S MIXED DIET.

An interesting note in the same periodical on one of the so-called carnivorous plants, the common butterwort, indicates that it really enjoys a mixed diet. As Darwin pointed out, the butterwort catches leaves and seeds, as well as insects, on its sticky leaves. Prof. Cavers has tried some interesting dietary experiments with the common butterwort, and the rarer lusitanian species. Feeding them on a purely vegetable diet of leaves, seeds, and slices of fresh vegetable tissue of various kinds, he finds that they thrive well under this regime. When leaves of the bog-moss are placed on the butterwort leaf the green cells of the moss become disorganised, and the gland cells of the butterwort show the same changes as when the plant is supplied with insects. It would, therefore, suggests Prof. Cavers, be called omnivorous rather than carnivorous.

INK PLANT.

The ink of everyday life may perhaps be described as of mixed animal, vegetable, and mineral origin. Sometimes, however, the juice of a plant can be used directly for a writing. This is the case with the ink plant which occurs in South America and New Zealand. The juice of the plant is red, but it becomes rapidly black on exposure by oxidisation. It gives a permanent stain on paper, and can be used as ink without further preparation. A note in "knowledge" recalls the fact that all the early documents in Spanish South America were written with the juice of the ink plant, of which a figure is given.

NEW LIGHT ON CRYSTALLOGRAPHY.

In his recent work on "Crystalline Structure and Chemical Constitution," Dr. Tutton alludes to the immense advance made in recent years in the study of crystals. Twenty years ago, he points out, the position of practical crystallography was "one of utter chaos." Moreover, opinion was divided among crystallographers on certain fundamental points. The Abbe Renne Just Hauy, whom Dr. Tutton designates the father of crystallography, had enunciated the great principle that "to every specific substance of definite chemical composition capable of existing in the solid condition, there appertains a crystalline form peculiar to and characteristic of that substance." Some twenty years later, however, Eilhardt Mitscherlich made the discovery that a number of substances containing different elements, but of similar chemical constitution, crystallise in the same form. This similarity of form was termed is omorphism, and implied identity of shape in the different compounds. It was in direct contradiction to Hauy's principle.

RECONCILIATION OF OPPOSITE VIEWS.

And one of the most important results of recent research, and more especially of Dr. Tutton's own work, is the reconciliation of these two apparently opposite views. Both great crystallographers are right in the main. Every substance appears to have its own definite and characteristic form, as Hauy asserted, but the so-called isomorphous substances are found to differ in their angular measurements. The difference, however, is often so small that it, requires all the refinements of modern science, embodied in specially devised instruments, to detect it Thus the replacement of potassium by rubidium in the sulphate leads to an average change in the angular measurements of nine minutes only. Such minute changes may be said to leave untouched Mitscherlich's principle of isomorphism.

THE GEOMETRY OF A CRYSTAL.

The researches of Dr. Tutton lead further to the view that such substitution in a chemical compound affects in a similarly minute degree other properties of the crystal, and finally to the conclusion that crystalline form, like other properties, is a function of atomic weight. As regards the ultimate structure of a crystal it is held that this is geometrically homogeneous, the parts atoms, or other units, being uniformly repeated throughout. This led to the study of the geometrical problem. How many types of the homogeneous arrangement of points or atoms, in space are possible? Begun in 1820 by Frankenheim it was finished by Barlow in 1890, and it was found that there were 230 types of such homogeneous structure which could be arranged in 32 groups. In these are comprised all known forms of crystals.

STUDYING MANKIND.

Professor Balfour, who presides over the Pitt Rivers Museum at Oxford, has returned to South Africa for the dual purpose of lecturing and extending his researches in the allied sciences to which he devotes his life. To a "Cape Argus" representative he had much to say on the wonderful development in ethnology, the science which treats of the various races of mankind. "Within the last ten or fifteen years," he said, "ethnology has made immense progress. It seems an anomaly, but as a real science it is the youngest of them all. It is a wide subject, but this very diffuseness is in its favour. I certainly think it might well become a part of general education. "If it be desirable for the student to undergo 'mental gymnastics,' he might certainly become versatile from a study of mankind in its widest sense." Such study of ancient life in the world helps to explain the present.

BUSHMEN PRACTICALLY EXTINCT.

The professor regards South Africa as a splendid field for such study, because of the varied native cultures which can be traced. It is regrettable that the Bushmen as a race are practically extinct. There is still a chance of studying them in groups, but it is probable that present-day conditions have modified their life to a great extent. The Professor was interested to hear that survivors of the old tribes would perform traditional dances at the coming Pageant. South African workers in these wide fields are well esteemed in Europe. Stowe's book on the "Native Tribes" is much valued, while the work of Miss Lucy Lloyd and Dr. Theal has been very important indeed.

PREHISTORIC ARCHÆOLOGY.

The professor's own particular work is concerned with prehistoric archæology, and that branch of anthropology which treats of the material arts of mankind. "Nowadays," he remarked "the tendency is to specialise, since the field of knowledge in each particular science is so enormous." In answer to a question as to the Pitt Rivers Museum, he answered: "Yes, that collection over which I have the honour to preside is of great interest. As a museum it is unique since the specimens of human arts and industries are not arranged geographically but grouped according to form and function my object being to classify them into general and species so to speak to bring together objects of like nature from all parts of the world. There you may see the evolution of the higher types from the simpler types. Marshalling them thus you generally get a suggestion of the actual development."

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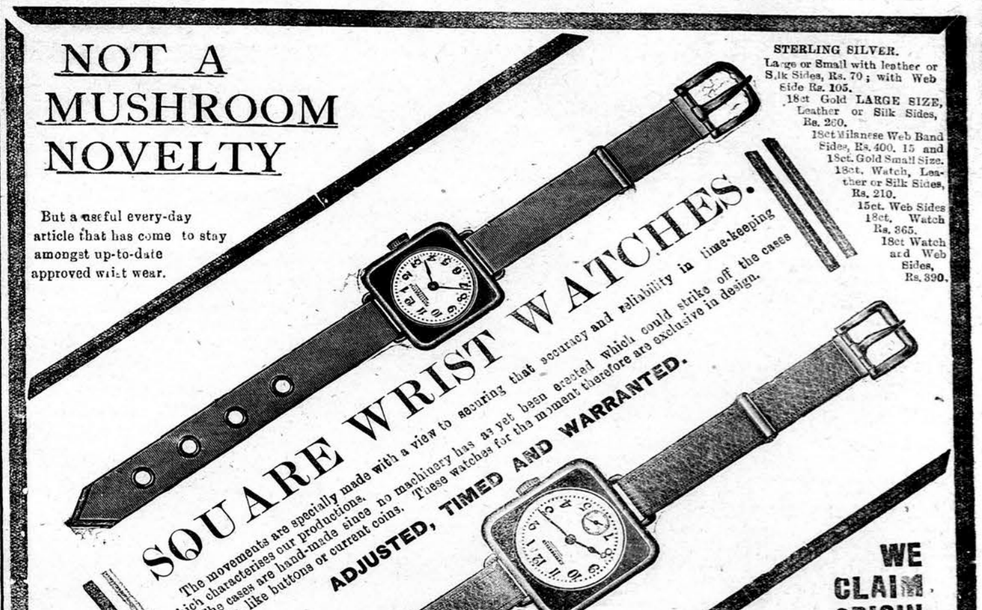

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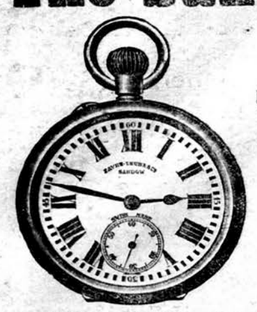

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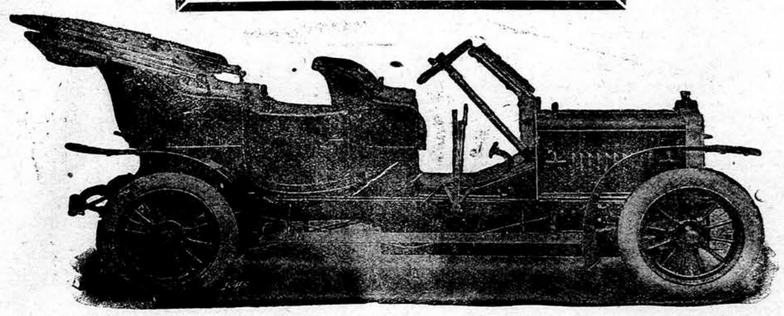

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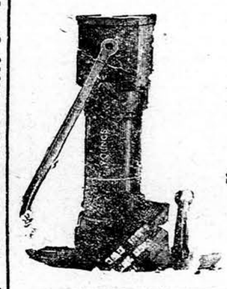

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